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MIDNIGHT.

FOREIGN.

Gen. Sherman at Pompeii.

Germany Preparing for Hostilities—The Gathering of Fallen Sovereigns at Antwerp—Disturbances Imminent—Increasing Government Powers Over the French Press—The Mexican Revolution—Threats to Sink an American Steamer—Flood in Scotland.

ITALY.

GEN. SHERMAN AT POMPEII.

FLORENCE, February 25.—Gen. Sherman, Admiral Alden, Lieut. Grant and a party of American residents and visitors went to Pompeii yesterday, and had a picnic among the ruins. Special excavations were made to give the visitors an opportunity of witnessing the process of making discoveries. The party returned to Naples at a late hour, much pleased with the excursion.

EARTHQUAKES.

Five distinct shocks of earthquake were felt at Leghorn on Saturday night, which caused much alarm, but no damage was done.

GREAT BRITAIN.

KNIGHTED.

LONDON, February 24.—The Queen knighted Lord Mayor Gibbons.

DEATH OF A BISHOP.

The Bishop of Jamaica died at Torquay yesterday.

RECEPTION.

The Queen to-day received the corporation of London at Windsor.

FLOOD IN SCOTLAND.

LONDON, February 25.—Dispatches from Dundee give accounts of a wide-spread, devastating flood in the valley of the Tay. The waters of the Frith and the river Tay overflowed their banks last night and poured into the plains on both sides, sweeping everything before them. Dundee is at the mouth of the Frith, a point above Perth, on the south side of the river Tay, and the head of navigation. The level country around the latter city is covered with water, and portions of Dundee are rendered uninhabitable. The railroad between the two cities is washed away in many places, and much of the road-bed must be rebuilt. In Dundee the damage to property is immense. The lower stories of several large warehouses, filled with jute and flax, are flooded, and thousands of bales of flax are destroyed. No estimate can be formed of the losses in the country along the river banks.

FRANCE.

MARINE DISASTER.

LONDON, February 24.—A vessel named Marie Francois capsized in the harbor at Brest yesterday, and twenty-two passengers were drowned.

POWERS OVER THE PRESS.

PARIS, February 24.—In the National Assembly to-day a committee was elected to examine the bill increasing the powers of the Government over the press. The bill, which has been made a Cabinet question, is opposed by about three hundred and eight members of the Assembly and favored by about two hundred and eighty-five. It has been the subject of passionate debate in different bureaux of the Government to-day. Gambetta has defended the bill. Jules Simon favors the measure, and has announced his intention of resigning if the bill is rejected. M. De Larcy, Minister of Public Works, opposes the projected law, and will vote against the Government.

AMBASSADOR TO ROME.

It is expected that a French Ambassador to Rome will shortly be appointed.

BELGIUM.

THE FALLEN SOVEREIGNS.

ANTWERP, February 24.—The Count De Chambord has left the city.

The arrival of the ex-King of Hanover and other leading Ultra-montanists is denied.

The Legitimists demonstrated last night and the gens d'armes were called upon to restore order.

ANTWERP, February 24.—There is no diminution in the number of persons who have gathered here. The streets were filled this morning and great excitement prevails. Orders have been issued forbidding persons grouping at any point in the city. Disturbances are imminent.

The Mayor of this city issued a proclamation to-day calling on the citizens to have respect for the Count De Chambord, announcing that ample measures have been taken to suppress any disorder which may occur. Strangers in the city and the populace continued their hostile demonstrations towards each other to-night, but there was no outbreak. A heavy rain finally dispersed the crowds.

ANTWERP, February 25.—The Count De Chambord has not quit the city, as reported. He has received deputations from several French towns, and others are coming.

A meeting of citizens was held last night, at which resolutions were adopted protesting in forcible terms against the sojourn of the Count De Chambord. The crowds in the streets last night were noisy and tumultuous. The gens d'armes, who were patrolling the city, charged and dispersed several gatherings. The city is quiet to-day. Demonstrations were anticipated, but none have been made. The police force on duty has been doubled.

ANTWERP, February 25—*Evening.*—Count De Chambord urgently requests his friends to refrain from visiting Antwerp. The city is quiet to-night. There has been no disorder to-day.

MEXICO.

THE REVOLUTION.

NEW ORLEANS, February 24.—A dispatch from Matamoras of the 23d says that the city of San Luis Potosi has been the objective point with the revolutionists for some time past. All their available forces are concentrated there, leaving only sufficient in the cities north of Segra Madra to garrison them. Guerra Martinez and Trevino's troops, amounting to 10,000, are besieging San Luis Potosi, which is defended by Gen. Rocho, the best officer adhering to the Government, who thus far is unable to free himself from the besiegers. Rumors of his surrender prevail to-day, but nothing reliable is known. Should Rocha capitulate, Northern Mexico will be lost to Juarez.

NEW YORK, February 25.—A special from Matamoras, February 23, says Gomez Portugal, the revolutionary Governor of Agas Colientas, occupied the city of that name on the 15th instant.

Telegrams from before San Luis Potosi say that Gen. Trevsn's army is increasing rapidly. The State of Chihuahua is sending troops to the revolutionists.

CATTLE STEALING.

A special from Brownsville, Texas, of the 23d, reports that cattle stealing on the Rio Grande has vigorously recommenced. Great indignation prevails among stock raisers.

DIFFICULTY IMMINENT.

The Collector of Customs at Matamoras, who is also special civil representative of the Juarist Government, announces his intention of sinking an American river steamer, if it clears hence for Camargo, which is now in possession of the revolutionists. An international difficulty is likely to arise out of this question. The commander at Matamoras would oppose this, but Gen. Cortina, who is irresponsible, and who hates the Americans, would readily assent to the suggestion of the Collector. General Barney, the American Collector here, refuses to give clearance papers until he receives instructions from Washington. If the vessel eventually clears, a difficulty is certain. Many merchants here from the interior are anxious to send their bonded goods into Mexico, and are urging a clearance of the vessel to Camargo as the only practical way.

DIAZ'S DEATH CONFIRMED.

MATAMORAS, February 23.—A courier extraordinary arrived to-night from San Luis Potosi, with letters to the 16th inst., confirming the previously reported death of General Porfiero Diaz on the mountains of Qarretano on the 12th inst., from dysentery. Diaz's followers have proclaimed for Lerado Tejado or Guseman for President.

NEW TARIFF.

The Juarez Government is said to have published a new tariff, which abolishes the "seona libra" on the frontier.

SAN LUIS POTOSI.

General Cornelia has four thousand Government troops inside of San Luis Potosi, while General Rocha has fifty-five hundred, with twenty-four pieces of artillery, outside, supporting Cornelia. General Guerra, with 11,000 revolutionists, confronts Generals Cornelia and Rocha. Severe fighting has occurred, without a decisive result, both parties maintaining their ground.

GERMANY.

PREPARING FOR HOSTILITIES.

LONDON, February 24.—The Germans are arming two corps, which are ordered to be in readiness to move. The cause for these preparations is the great activity of political parties at Versailles, and the possibility of a change in the Government of France. Germany reserves the right to decide as to any new Government there. Should she deem such Government as unlikely either by inclination or incapacity to execute the treaty of peace, there will be another invasion.

THE INTERNATIONALS.

LEIPSIC, February 24.—The police authorities have proclaimed against the Internationals.

INDIA.

REBELLION SUBDUED.

BOMBAY, February 24.—A dispatch from Gen. Bourchier, commanding the expedition against the Looshais, dated the 20th inst., announces that the tribes have surrendered unconditionally, and the country has been subdued. The Ladboorahs delivered up their arms, give hostages and agree to pay fines.

SPAIN.

RADICAL COALITION.

MADRID, February 25.—The Central Committee of the Radical party is seeking to effect a coalition against the new ministry.

KANSAS.

Religious Excitement.

LAWRENCE, February 24.—Rev. E. P. Hammond has been holding meetings in this city for a week past. An immense crowd has been in attendance day and night. The church holds nearly two thousand people, which has been constantly thronged. On Wednesday, during service, at least five hundred persons rose and asked for the prayers of the congregation. Yesterday a prayer-meeting, at which a large number were present, was held in a liquor saloon. At least a thousand people are either converted or deeply interested.

BRIBERY INVESTIGATION.

TOPEKA, February 24.—The bribery investigation committee reported to the House to-day. The report is long, and is signed by every member of the committee. It says, regarding the Senatorial election in 1867, they find that much money was used by Pomeroy, Carney and Perry Fuller, but they had not time to make a thorough investigation. Regarding the election last winter, the committee report a mass of evidence, showing bribery and corruption on the part of both Senator Caldwell and Ex Congressman Clarke. Proof is positive that Caldwell stated that his election cost him over $60,000, and that he paid of this over ten per cent. to Ex-Governor Carney, and that he several times offered to refund to Clarke all his expenses if he (Clarke) would withdraw from the contest. The report also says that Alexander Caldwell used bribery and other corrupt and criminal practices to secure his election to the United States Senate. There was an organized effort from the commencement to keep important witnesses out of the way, and it is impossible to procure their evidence. Fifty thousand copies of the report and evidence were ordered to be printed, and a copy was ordered to be sent to each Kansas Senator and to the Vice President, the latter to be laid before the United States Senate for its information.

ST. LOUIS, February 24.—The *Democrat's* Topeka special, referring to the report of the Bribery Investigation Committee, made to the House, says some curious facts came to light. It seems Senator Pomeroy and Sidney Clark gave M. W. Reynolds, at that time editor of the Lawrence *Journal*, their note for one thousand dollars in March, 1866, the consideration of which was that the *Journal* should support Pomeroy for re election to the Senate and Clarke to Congress. "Reynolds went back on them, and they refused to pay the note. Suit was brought, and Pomeroy and Clarke put in as a defense the fact that the note was given for an improper purpose, and judgment was given for the defense. Reynolds had the papers all made out to carry the matter to the Supreme Court at the next term. Just before the meeting of the Court, Reynolds received the appointment of Receiver of the Land Office in South Kansas, and immdiately dismissed the appeal. He is now editor of a weekly paper, which is supporting Pomeroy's re election for a third term. It also comes out that the President of the Kansas Pacific Railroad promised Caldwell thirty thousand dollars to help him to be elected to the Senate, and after the election refused to take any more than he had already paid, which was $10,000. Tom Anderson, agent of the Kansas Pacific road at this place, and through whom the $10,000 was paid, and who also paid out large sums besides, as the testimony shows, has not been before the committee with Len Smith, the business partner of Caldwell," and John Fletcher, and another person who it was proved paid out money. We use the words of the report, "they were fugitives from the States." The report will cause commotion in the State, and show that money has been spent like water in elections for years.

LAWRENCE, February 24.—The report of the committee of the Legislature to-day on the Caldwell bribery case is received here with some surprise. While the evidence is overwhelming against Caldwell, the committee attack Pomeroy, Carney, Clarke, and others, and it is thought have attempted to complicate the real issue for political purposes by assailing outside parties. It is expected here that Caldwell will now ask an investigation in the United States Senate, or that the Senate will order one.

ST. LOUIS, February 25.—The *Republican* has a special from Topeka, Kansas, which says the report of the bribery investigation committee, made in the House yesterday, created a profound sensation. The general impression seems to be that the fate of Senator Pomeroy as a political aspirant is sealed. Six of the seven members of the committee were Republicans, and most of them heretofore friendly to Pomeroy.

The dispatch further says there was a large meeting of Liberal Republicans at Topeka last night, ex Senator Ross presiding. Marcus Parrott came out for the Liberal movement. He reviewed the political history of Kansas and denounced Pomeroy and Caldwell. In regard to the latter, he said he would willingly be impoverished, and have his name and memory considered infamous, if he could but drive him from his seat in the Senate, which he had usurped by fraud, if an investigation was ordered in the United States Senate.

COLORADO.

Attempt to Escape from Jail.

DENVER, COL., February 24.—This forenoon, about a quarter past eleven, three prisoners in the county jail, named Griswold, Wright and Hill, all of them in for murder, overpowered Davis, the turnkey, took away his revolver, and shot him in the back part of the head—it is reported not fatally. A brother of Davis, a young man seventeen years of age, was in the office, and went to the rescue, and encountered Griswold in the passage way leading to the cells. They exchanged shots, Griswold being hit on the breast, from which he died in a few minutes. The other was not hurt. Wright, the other prisoner, escaped to a hay-loft in the rear of the jail, where he was stirred up by a negro with a pitchfork and was recaptured. There is strong talk of lynching Wright, who is one of the murderers of Wall, and is considered a very desperate character, and was probably the instigator of this outrage.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK.

NEW YORK.

The Judiciary Investigation—Judge Barnard's Protest—Struggles of Tammany—Alleged Perjury—Ship Canal—Oil Exchange to be Organized—Demands of Internationals—The Gas Question.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24, 1872.

JUDICIARY INVESTIGATION.

The Judiciary Committee of the Legislature examined witnesses yesterday concerning the appointments of referees by Judge Cardoza. Nothing reliable can be ascertained as to the purport of the testimony, as the sessions were in secret. The committee is composed of six Republicans and three Democrats.

The secrecy in the investigations of the Judiciary Committee into the charges against Judges Barnard and Cardoza are due to the Bar Association, who are unwilling that the proceedings should be made public. Judge Cardoza's case is still being considered. An article appearing in the *World* calling on these Judges to resign is attributed by many lawyers to the pen of J. S. Tilden, a Democratic member of the committee.

SHIP CANAL.

At a meeting of the Produce Exchange to-day, a resolution was adopted opposing the bill now pending in the Legislature of this State to cede into the hands of the United States Government the construction of a ship canal around Niagara Falls, on the ground that the scheme was an attempt to divert commerce and trade from this city. A resolution declaring that such a canal would be a national benefit, by reducing excessive exaction on grain now passing through the Erie canal, was voted down.

ALLEGED PERJURY.

William Heath, a broker, who was arrested to-day for perjury, appeared before Justice Ledwith, and gave bail in $10,000, Daniel Drew becoming his bondsman. The complainant in the case is Stephen V. White, who charged that Heath perjured himself in his testimony in a suit which was decided in his favor in June, 1871, and which grew out of Reading stock matters. Heath says the allegations are unfounded.

THE STRUGGLES OF TAMMANY.

The Committee of twenty-two, appointed by the Grand Sachem of Tammany Society, to reorganize the Democracy in this city, which meets next Monday, is composed of such prominent and influential citizens as Charles O'Connor, August Belmont, George Law, Oswald Ottendorfer, John J. Cisco, S. L. M. Barlow, and Manton Marble.

SMALL-POX.

There were nine cases of small pox yesterday, and twenty-five deaths during the week. Large numbers are being vaccinated daily by the public authorities. Dr. Rourke, Health Officer of Chicago, who is in the city, complains of the lack of quarantine on the vessels from abroad, alleging that emigrants arriving west spread the small-pox there.

INVESTIGATING GRAVEL CONTRACTS.

The Assembly Committee from Albany investigating the sales of gravel to the city by Assemblyman Husted heard several witnesses to-day. Much of the testimony was conflicting, but it was shown that the gravel contracts with the city were somewhat Tammanized by lesser ringites having to do therewith.

QUARANTINE INVESTIGATION.

The Quarantine investigation this morning developed only that Assistant Weiner fled the State since he was subpoenaed. The testimony this afternoon was confirmatory of the charges of extortion against that department. Various parties connected with shipping testified as to overcharges made for storage, lighterage, and so on.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

At a meeting of the Irish Societies, held last evening, arrangements were made for the celebration of St. Patrick's day. The procession is to be on a grander scale than any that has heretofore taken place. The Mayor and Common Council are invited to review the procession. Some forty or forty three societies were represented.

VANDERBILT'S SLAUGHTERING TRAP.

At a meeting of the East Siders last night it was decided to petition the Legislature to compel Vanderbilt to sink his track running through the upper portion of the city, and save the loss of lives constantly occurring there.

MORE RING FRAUDS.

It is reported that the Police Superintendent is implicated in ring frauds, and that the Committee of Seventy will soon investigate his case.

CARL SCHURZ ENDORSED BY THE DEMOCRACY.

The German Democratic General Committee last night passed resolutions endorsing Carl Schurz.

CITY ADVERTISING.

At a meeting of the newspaper proprietors, yesterday, a vote was passed to have a mandamus issued to compel the city to pay for advertising.

MONUMENT TO GEN. THOMAS.

Prominent ex army officers of this city propose to initiate measures to erect a monument to the late General George H. Thomas.

CITY CHARTER.

At a meeting of the German Central Reform Committee last night they endorsed the Charter Committee of Seventy.

INVESTIGATION ABANDONED.

The Legislative Committee have abandoned the investigation of the charges against the Emigrant Commissioners.

NOT TO BE FOUND.

The order of arrest against Ingersoll was returned to-day to the Attorney General, as Ingersoll cannot be found.

HALL'S PROSECUTION.

It is stated that Attorney General Barlow has withdrawn from the prosecution of the case of Mayor Hall.

RETURN OF A TAMMANYITE.

J. McB. Davidson, a Tammany man, who has been absent in Savannah, has returned to this city.

OIL EXCHANGE.

A number of dealers in oil, grease, &c., met to-day and decided to organize an Oil Exchange.

SUPPRESSION OF OBSCENE LITERATURE.

A society is projected in this city for the suppression of obscene literature.

ARRIVED.

The Trimacria, from Glasgow, has arrived.

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CATHOLIC CHURCH INTELLIGENCE.

The *Herald* says the Pope, on the 22d, elevated Father Berney, of New York, to be Coadjutor Bishop of Albany; Father Hendricken of Waterbury, Conn., to be Bishop of Providence, R. I.; the diocese of Rhode Island and Connecticut to be divided; Bishop McFarland to reside at Hartford, and Rev. E. P. Wadhams, Vicar General of the Diocese of Albany, to be Bishop of Ogdensburg.

RAILROAD REFORMS.

At a meeting of the Nineteenth Ward Railroad Association last night, resolutions were adopted in favor of sinking the tracks on Fourth avenue, and of a bill to that effect to be submitted to the Legislature. It was also resolved that if amicable measures fail to obtain the result demanded, the people will, with pick and crowbar, achieve it themselves. Finally a committee was appointed to endeavor to procure an injunction restraining the Harlem company from using streets as at present.

POOR GAS AT A HIGH PRICE.

The Commissioner of Works has notified the gas companies that their charges to the city are deemed unreasonable and must be reduced. A bill will be introduced in the Legislature this week, at the instance of the hotel keepers, for a reduction of the price of gas to $2.25 per thousand feet, and that the illuminating power be equal to sixteen sperm candles.

JUDGE BARNARD'S PROTEST.

Judge Barnard has made a formal protest to the Assembly Judiciary Committee against Samuel J. Tilden serving as one of the investigators of the charges against him, as set forth, on the ground that Tilden is a member of the Bar Association, and as such is one of his prosecutors. He had publicly charged him with malfeasance and other crimes, and sought his election to the Legislature with the avowed purpose of procuring his (Barnard's) impeachment.

RETRENCHING.

The Brooklyn Reform Committee report that the offices of Registrar of Arrears and assistant, for which $5,500 annual salaries are paid, are unnecessary. It is insinuated that over one million dollars have been borrowed on certificates of indebtedness under the law passed last year, and that the power of issuing such certificates was secured in order to show a reduction of the rate of local taxation when no reduction had been effected.

DEMANDS OF INTERNATIONALS.

Three representatives of the Internationals appeared before the Aldermanic Committee on Public Works yesterday, and made a demand for free halls, lighted with free gas, for popular discussions, as well as better and cheaper means of travel for the public. The committee expressed sympathy with the idea, and will endeavor to advance it.

SAILORS' RETREAT.

The legislative investigation into alleged abuses in the management of the Sailors' Retreat, at Staten Island, begins to-morrow.

THE SUNDAY LAW.

The Brooklyn police are ordered to enforce the law against the sale of liquors on Sunday.

VIRGINIA.

Payment of Taxes.

RICHMOND, February 24.—Both Houses of the General Assembly passed a bill prohibiting collectors and treasurers from receiving coupons issued under the funding act passed March 31, 1871, in payment of taxes. The bill provides that nothing but gold or silver coin, or United States Treasury notes, and notes of National banks, shall be taken for any debts due the State. It is almost certain that the Governor will veto the bill. It is equally certain that the Legislature will pass it over the veto.

REPRESENTATION IN CONGRESS.

The caucus of the Conservative members of the Legislature has agreed upon a plan for the apportionment for representation is Congress, which will give seven Conservatives and two Republican members.

SURRENDER OF RECORDS DEMANDED.

A communication was to-day received from the Governor and Legislature of West Virginia, requesting the Virginia Executive and General Assembly to surrender all books, papers and records pertaining exclusively to that State.

AMENDING THE CONSTITUTION.

The feeling among the majority of the Legislature is against calling a convention to amend the Constitution.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

—It is untrue that Collector Casey, of New Orleans, has been removed.

—William Cullen Bryant sailed from Havana for Vera Cruz on Saturday.

—H. L. Myers and James Watson have been arrested at Harrisburg for altering checks.

—Mr. Watson and Miss Edmunds, the English murderers, have been pardoned by the Queen.

—Dispatches from the Japanese Embassy say they will probably reach Chicago this evening.

—A conspiracy to burn the Presbyterian church in Millers Place, R. I., was discovered and frustrated.

—Disraeli will deliver two public addresses in Manchester, England, during the Easter holidays.

—The King of Italy has conferred the decoration of the order of Saveri on Prince Frederick Charles of Prussia.

—At Washington, D. C., there were nine cases of small-pox during the past week, six of which were sent to the hospital.

—The Board of Education of Newark, New Jersey, has thrown open the public schools to colored children on the same footing as whites.

—Rev. Arthur Brooks, of Williamsport, Pa., has accepted a call to the rectorship of St. James Church, Chicago, recently vacated by Rev. Hugh Miller Thompson.

—In Brooklyn on Friday, a portion of a still attached to a wall about an oil works exploded, and was hurled through the roof of the office, causing a tremendous smash up.

—The stockholders of the Louisville Daily Ledger Company held a meeting and determined to suspend the publication of the paper. It will be succeeded by an afternoon paper.

—Governor Brown, of Tennessee, has issued a proclamation calling an extra session of the Legislature on the 12th of March, to apportion the State into Congressional districts, and for other important purposes.

—Bernhard Behler, employed in Miller's brewery, in Salem, Illinois, fell into a boiler filled with boiling water, last Friday, and was killed in a few moments. So badly was he scalded that the flesh came off down to the bone.

—A young man named Lightfoot was instantly killed on Saturday morning in the Phœnix Foundry, at Elgin, Ill., by the bursting of an emery wheel, at which he was at work. His head was nearly severed from his body.

—Justice Sprague, of the California Supreme Court, died last Saturday morning, after a long illness. The bench now comprises two Democrats and two Republicans. The Governor will appoint for the unexpired term a Republican.

—The Utah Admission Convention adopted an article in the ordinance on the right of suffrage of all citizens in the United States, male and female, who are legal residents of the country. Discussion on the manner of casting votes at the ballot-box is still pending.

—The officials of the Louisville Short Line Railroad express suspicions that some person hostile to the road or to some person connected with it tampered and weakened the bridge which gave way near Eleston station. Dispassionate judges do not spare this suspicion.

—The covered bridge on the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and St. Louis Railroad, near Cambridge, Indiana, was destroyed by fire on Friday night. The bridge was about three hundred feet long. There will be no detention of trains, as they will take the White Water Valley route.

—The cut tobacco manufacturers of St. Louis have adopted resolutions endorsing the action of the Committee on Ways and Means in recommending but sixteen cents tax on smoking and twenty-four on chewing tobacco, and protest against any advance on smoking tobacco.

—A Chicago special says that Wood, manager of the Globe Theatre, brought suit against Derivo, manager of the Wachtel Opera Troupe, for ten thousand dollars, alleging a breach of contract. Derivo claims that Wachtel's laryngitis was a visitation of God, and that Wood must stand the loss.

—J. H. Hackett, confidential clerk to H. C. and D. M. Lawrence's dry goods establishment, was arrested last Friday night on a charge of embezzling some $75,000 worth of Government bonds, and a large amount of laces, silks, &c., a considerable portion of which was recovered from a woman to whom he had made presents.

—Charles L. Wilson, editor of the Chicago *Journal*, has received from New York an elegant silver coffee urn, it being presented to him by the buffalo hunting party, composed of General Sheridan, James Gordon Bennett, Jr., L. W. Jerome, General Stager, Buffalo Bill and others, for the reason that he brought down the first elk.

—A Washington dispatch says there will be a delay of several days in dispatching our answer to Lord Granville's note. The result of the interview had by Thornton, the English Minister, with Secretary Fish, on Friday, was sent the same night by steamer, so that it might reach England earlier than the American answer, and thus anticipate the tone of Fish's dispatch.

—The West Virginia Constitutional Convention on Friday decided to retain the clause which disqualifies attorneys and salaried officers of railroads as members of the Legislature, but struck out the disqualification of preachers. An oath is required that they will not accept a consideration for their votes. Charleston is made the seat of government until changed by law.

THE CAPITAL.

The North Carolina Senatorship.

Private Land Claims—Nebraska Delegation—Weather Probabilities—A Subject for a Lunatic Asylum—Situations Wanted in Japan.

WASHINGTON, February 24, 1872.

LAND CLAIMS.

The Committee on Private Land Claims to-day heard arguments in behalf of the claims of Gen. John A. Sutton to California lands; also an argument in the McGarrahan case.

CONVALESCING.

Garrett Davis is so much better that his physician believes he will be able to return to his home in Kentucky next week.

WASHINGTON, February 25, 1872.

NEBRASKA DELEGATION.

Hon. John J. Redick, Augustus Kountz, A. D. Ballson and Gen. C. H. Frederic, have arrived from Omaha, in the interest of Nebraska, and to oppose the transfer of the eastern terminus of the Pacific Railroad to Council Bluffs.

SITUATIONS WANTED IN JAPAN.

Numerous applications continue to be made to Mr. Mori, Japanese Charge d'Affairs, by ladies who want situations in Japan as clerks, teachers and assistants in the internal revenue office to be there established.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

The area of high barometer over the upper lakes will probably move east and south eastward, extending, with clear weather, on Monday throughout the Atlantic States; a rising temperature with increasing southerly winds prevail on Monday on the upper lakes to the gulf; an area of low barometer, with attending winds circulating around it, pass eastward over Missouri, and threatening weather, possibly with snow, prevail northward to Minnesota; southerly winds with partially cloudy weather prevail on Monday from Texas to Alabama. Dangerous winds are not anticipated.

NORTH CAROLINA SENATORSHIP.

The Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections will to-morrow submit a report regarding the claims of Gen. Abbott to be Senator from North Carolina. The majority are against and the minority in favor of his admission. Senator Carpenter, who, with Senator Rice, signed the minority report, will take the necessary action to have the case brought up in discussion on Thursday of this week. Senator Thurman, it is understood, will lead in support of the majority report, and the debate will probably last for several days.

A SUBJECT FOR A LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Among the papers recently sought to be filed with the American and British Claims Commission, is a memorial from Mrs. Jane P. Thurston, who claims to have made a legal purchase of the United States of America at a public auction at the capital of the State of Maine, January 5, 1870, when and where, by virtue of her right, she sold and purchased the State of Maine. Accompanying the memorial is a pamphlet entitled, "A new art or principle in law for settling national questions without war, discovered and disclosed by Mrs. Jane P. Thurston, Proprietor of the United States; to-wit, forfeiture for breach of covenant or treaty to the party injured."

PETROLEUM PARAGRAPHS.

PARKERS.

A WELL owned by Frank Andrews, McCullough and others, on the Ritz farm, near the large Hulings well, commenced pumping last week, and has thus far averaged a daily production of about 25 barrels per day.

A WELL owned by Lehman, Reamer and others, on land owned by John Kelley, near the Stone House farm, south side of Bear Creek, has been pumping for some weeks, averaging a production of six or seven barrels per day.

THE well on the Philip Foust farm, south of Petersburg, has been pumping for some days, yielding a small quantity of oil. This well was drilled wet, and it is thought that a few days pumping will bring it up to an average well.

THE Tidiout *Commercial* states that the Turner, Dunn & Culver well over the river is showing up splendidly. Other parties, we understand, are making preparations for drilling in that vicinity. There will be unusual activity in that quarter in a short time.

A WELL owned by McMillin, Lincoln and others, located on the south side of Bear Creek, between the bridge and the mouth of said stream, formerly part of the Gibson farm—Mullen lease—was completed last week, and has averaged since that day a production of eight barrels per day.

Spring Bonnets.

[From Demorest's Monthly.]

The new spring styles in straw revive the "cottage" shape even more decidedly than the bonnets of last year. Straw seems to be the only wear for the coming season, and a great effort has been made to give variety not only to the shapes and styles, but to the manufacture of the straw itself.

In addition to the "split," the Dunstable, the Coburg, the Milesian, the Leghorn, the Tuscan, the Neapolitan, and the chip, with their numerous imitations, there are some very pretty mixtures, and a few decided novelties in the way of fancy and embroidered straw which will probably prove very popular and attractive.

It is difficult to say at this early period which shape will be likely to take the lead among the rest, but we think the cottage bonnet, and a new and very attractive hat, the "Dolly Varden," will be sure to win favor.

A great many dotted black lace bonnets of plain colored tulle, or crape have been for the *demi season*, and simply trimmed with a *ruche* of black thread lace and a rose in its leaves, or an ostrich tip, the shade of the crape or tulle. Cameo tints and fine shades of gray are used in preference to gray colors, but in these cases a brighter color is combined in the trimming.

For example, black lace over ash gray crape or tulle, is trimmed with a ruche of black lace and a spray of what is called Chicago roses, that is, crimson or scarlet roses, toned down into ash gray, and having gray leaves.

Charming bonnets are made with soft crowns of crape, inclosing in a standing puffing of soft satin finished gross grain, and trimmed with loops and ends of fringed out gros grain ribbon.

Straw trimmings are imported in great variety and are used upon bonnets of black lace and crape as well as straw. Indeed they comprise some of the most fashionable ornaments of the season.

A Ferryman Murdered and the Murderer Killed.

[From the Sparta (Tenn.) Tribune, Feb. 14.]

A little before daybreak yesterday, a man named Keefe or Keath, who had been in the employ of Mr. John Crowder, of this county, for several months, reached the ferry at Sligo, DeKalb county, and demanded to be put across, together with three horses in his possession. Douglas Davis, owner of the ferry, suspecting that all was not right, arrested the man and searched him, taking from his person a large navy revolver. While in custody the horse thief drew another which he had secreted upon his person and shot Mr. Davis, the ball entering the abdomen and coming out of the back. Keefe then ran, going in the direction of Falling Water. He was pursued by a party of neighbors, and, on being overtaken, was riddled with buckshot and killed almost instantly. Upon inquiry it was ascertained that one of the horses had been stolen from John Crowder, one from P. A. Hennessee, and one from John Cone. The thief and would-be murderer who thus met the just retribution of an avenging community, hailed from Illinois. He was an unmarried man.

MOST of the Canadian papers ridicule the secret treaty story. The Montreal *Witness* says: "If such a document did exist it would not be worth the paper it was written upon. Treaties are only made between independent rulers, not between the Sovereign and her servants, such as the Governor-General. Agreements as to policy there may be between the Dominion and Home Governments, but neither the British Ministry nor the Canadian Privy Council have the power to enter into treaties."

THE STATE.

ARMSTONG COUNTY.

KITTANNING has a new hotel, the Gault House.

VERY numerous are the buildings that are going up in Kittanning.

G. S. CROSBY has been appointed Notary public for Parker's Landing.

THE Hon. Frederick Douglass is to lecture in Kittanning on March 7th.

GREENE COUNTY.

NASBY lectured at Waynesburg last week.

VALENTINE'S DAY was extensively observed in Waynesburg.

THE Downey Hotel, is the soothing name of a new public house at Waynesburg.

THE Waynesburg *Republican* says: For more than six months past there has only been one prisoner in our county jail, and he is such a nice man that the Sheriff keeps him in his parlor. What county can beat this? Let Washington county sneer at and make fun of our bad roads, blackberry bushes, &c., but when it comes to comparing criminal records, there's where we have them.

BEAVER COUNTY.

SEVERAL FINE new buildings are projected for the coming season in New Brighton.

THE young girl who was so badly burned some three weeks ago at the residence of Mr. Chas. Hurlburt, of Beaver died on Saturday evening last.

NEW BRIGHTON has been greatly improved by the erection and completion of a fine new block of buildings, containing several large stores and offices, and a public hall capable of comfortably seating six hundred people.

THE act extending to Beaver county, the Erie county act pertaining to exclusion of the jurisdiction of Justice of the Peace, and the act making Glasgow borough a separate election district, have passed both houses and have gone to the Governor for his signature.

FAYETTE COUNTY.

FAIRCHANCE Iron Company are shipping at the rate of three cars of metal per day—ten tons to the car.

A REWARD of $100 is offered by Superintendent E. K. Hyndman, of the Connelsville Railroad, for the apprehension of the party who misplaced the switch at Saltsburg, on Friday night last.

MRS. E. L. MOORHOUSE, who has been in extremely bad health for two years past, was found dead in her bed at two o'clock Monday morning, in Bridgeport. She was a very estimable lady, aged about 40 year. Deceased leaves a husband and seven or eight children.

THE Uniontown *Standard* says: Last Friday evening a railroad brakeman on the main line of the P. & C. R. R. was brought to Uniontown in a caboose car, afflicted with small-pox. Mr. Stacy, who happened to be at the depot when the train arrived, and learning that it was the intention to take the man to the poor house, very promptly, and we think rightly, told the parties in charge that he would not receive the man. He was consequently taken back to Connellsville. The car was run on to a siding, about half a mile above the town, and a man was procured to take care of him during his affliction. A stove was put up in the car, and he is well taken care of.

WASHINGTON COUNTY.

A MEETING of the citizens of Washington has been called by Burgess Hazlett to consider ways and means of increasing the advantages of the Washington and Jefferson College.

LEMOYNE FITZWILLIAMS, of Amwell township, last week hauled to Pittsburgh a load of loose hay that weighed the enormous amount of four thousand two hundred and fifty-five pounds, for which he received twenty-five dollars per ton.

A grand rat hunt was held in Amwell township, on St. Valentine's day, by a party of gentleman from there and an equal number from Franklin township, the losing party to pay for the dinner. Six thousand two hundred rats were killed.

A CORPS of engineers sent out by the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, is now making a survey of the eastern end of the Hempfield by the Pigeon creek route. There is no doubt that in a very few months Washington will have a connection East by railroad.

THE *Review and Examiner* says: A few days ago Edward Thomas, of Chartiers township, sold eight clips of wool (about 8,000 pounds) for 7c per pound. John Roney, of Buffalo, has also sold several clips at about the same price. This is considerably higher than the price paid earlier in the season.

INDIANA.

A PUBLIC library and reading room have been started in Marion.

FRED. DOUGLASS is to lecture in the Court House, March 8th.

A COMPANY has been formed to build a hub and spoke factory in Saltsburg.

THE Congregationalists are about to build a church in Indiana during the coming season.

A LAD by the name of Walter Bracken, a grand son of John Barkly, Esq., of near Lewisville, Indiana county, was accidently shot on last Friday. The lad was on his way home from school. Another lad by the name of Simpson Marshall and himself had a cartridge pistol, which they were loading, and while doing so the pistol accidentally went off, shooting young Bracken in the breast, making a serious wound.

THE lock at Saltsburg on the old Pennsylvania canal is now being taken away by the Central Railroad Company, a part of which will be used in the erection of a soldiers monument in the Edgewood Cemetery at Saltsburg. A monument since 1829, (the time the water was let in said canal) of the enterprise of our old Keystone, and now set up as a touching respect of our brave soldiers who gave up their lives for their country.

THE blacksmith shop and extensive lumber shed, the property of Mr. Josiah Work, located in Canton township, near Rochester's mill, were entirely consumed by fire on the night of the 12th inst. There was 7,000 feet of lumber in the shed, all of which was saved except 200 feet of clear stuff. The planing mill owned by Mr. Work, which was only a few yards distant from the burnt shed, was saved through the timely exertions of Mr Work and a few friends. The fire is supposed to have originated from the wood upon which the hearth in the blacksmith shop was laid. Total loss about $3,000; no insurance.

WESTMORELAND COUNTY.

THE *Tribune and Herald* has come out as a defender of General Harry White.

ON the 7th inst. Mr. John Barnett and his wife Mary celebrated their golden wedding by a great re union of children and grandchildren.

MR. HUGH LINDSEY, a very respectable farmer of Hempfield Township, was robbed on the evening of the 19th ultimo. The thief or thieves entered the house while the family were engaged in their evening labors and secured about $200. Twenty dollars in gold, balance currency. Suspicion attached to a boy, A. T. Williams, who had his home at Mr. Lindsey's. It appears that Williams came to town and secured the company of some young chaps; took them out and concealed them in the woods near Lindsey's house, and at the proper time called their assistance, divided the money, and decamped on the Emigrant train. Young Reeger and Yates went as far as Pittsburgh, and returned on Tuesday morning, when they were arrested, and about $30 found on their persons. Williams and the other accomplices have since been arrested in Erie.—*Tribune and Herald.*

THE Greensburg *Tribune and Herald's* editor writing from Harrisburg, says: "Allegheny county ought to be proud of her Senators. She has three as able, pure and honest Senators as she has had, and that is saying a good deal, when we reflect upon the fact that she has had such men as Wilkins, Darsie, Penny and Bigham on the Senate floor to represent her. Mr. Graham has served about two years, and has a record of which any man might be proud. It is a richer legacy to his children than all the wealth of the world. Mr. Anderson is only now serving his second year, yet his record thus far, for industry, honesty and uprightness of character both as a Senator and a man, is a "living epistle known and read of all men." Mr. Humphreys is quite a new Senator, this being his first session; but having served three years in the House, he is no new man in public life, and stands high as a fearless, able advocate of the right."

MERCER COUNTY.

The Sharon *Times* says the last five miles of the Sharon & Greenfield Railroad will be built as early as possible after the opening of spring. This will be followed by the rapid development of the Greenfield coal fields.

THE "heaters" in the mill in Wheatland, who have been on a strike for some days, resumed work on Monday, the difficulty having been settled. The "puddlers" and "furnacemen" were not out on a strike, as reported in some of the papers.

THE dry goods house of Byers & Burnett, at Middlesex, was entirely destroyed by fire last Thursday. The fire originated in the cellar, and is supposed to have been caused by the bursting of a barrel of burning fluid. Nothing was saved. W. H. Henderson, clerk, barely escaped with his life, he being badly burned. The building was fully insured.

The Mercer *Dispatch* says: We hear a report that a man borrowed his neighbor's paper, and in so doing brought the small-pox into his family. Fatal act! He, by that means, lost all his interesting family, consisting of two lovely daughters, three promising sons, and four mothers-in-law! This should be a warning to all persons to subscribe for all papers which they wish to read.

Two young men named J. C. Brown and G. W. Bowers, who are given to "ways that are dark," decamped one night last week with a hundred and twelve dollars, the proceeds of a dance of which they were among the managers. They owed seven weeks' board at the Hanson House, which accounts are still standing, and they neglected to pay music, hall rent, and other expenses of the dance.—*Sharon Times.*

THE Greenville *Argus* says: An accident occurred in the flax mill of Mr. H. E. Camp, of this place, on Thursday of last week, by which a boy about 12 years old, named George Alger, lost his life. It seems that the boy at the time of the accident was endeavoring to shift a belt on a machine, using for that purpose an armful of flax straw. In an instant the belt caught the straw, and with it his arm, whirling him once around, and striking his head first on the floor and then on a post which stood near by. His skull, upon surgical examination, was found to be fractured. He died in a short time.

Steinway Sales—Bulletin No. 37.

The following sales of the famous Steinway pianos have been made since publication of last bulletin:

L. Osgood, Esq., bought a Full Square Grand Steinway Piano.

A. S. Parks, Esq., Steubenville, bought a Steinway Square Piano.

P. G. Dihm, Esq., bought a Steinway Square Piano.

Francis Klyle, Esq., bought a Steinway Square Piano, etc., etc.

The vast superiority of the Steinway Pianos was strikingly manifested at a late concert in this city. The player, a splendid performer, made use of some other make of instruments, and it was the theme of general regret that so fine a pianist had not been furnished with one of those splendid Steinway Concert Grands—that there was a vast difference in favor of the latter, etc., etc. No man ever yet regretted having bought a Steinway, while hundreds of less fortunate persons are anxiously casting around how to swop off their inferior machines without incurring too much of a loss. Our western sole agents, Messrs. Kleber & Bro., are and have been selling these instruments on the so called *renting plan—i. e.*, on monthly payments and long credit. The best instruments and the best terms are offered at their establishment.

ADVERTISEMENTS on this page, under the several heads of WANTED, FOR SALE, TO-LET, &c., will be inserted at transient rates only—TEN CENTS per line for each insertion. No advertisement inserted for less than THIRTY CENTS.

WANTS.

WANTED.—BOARDING in a family at East Liberty, for husband, wife and child. References given and required. Address J. H., Wilkins Postoffice. fe26:46

WANTED.—Second-hand SAFE, medium size. Enquire at 193 LIBERTY STREET. fe24:138

WANTED—TO SELL—TWO FINE LOTS on Davis street, 11th ward. Improvements on one. Small payment down; remainder in six years. Apply to McALEASE & CO., 286 Penn street, Pittsburgh. fe17:s21-smw

WANTED.—Two ALTO and one TENOR SINGER for a first class choir. Address ORGANIST, Box 813, immediately. fe22

WANTED—SIX MACHINISTS—Apply to LEWIS & ROSSETER, Second avenue, or at the Machine Shop, Birmingham, near end of bridge. fe22:132

WANTED.—HOUSEKEEPER.—By a middle-aged lady, a position as Housekeeper, with a first class family. Reference exchanged. Address Mrs. A. B., GAZETTE office. fe21:115

WANTED.—BOARDING IN THE central part of the city, by a gentleman and wife, would prefer where there are no other boarders. Address box C, GAZETTE office. feb20:9

WANTED.—Girls for the city and country, to do cooking, housework, &c., several men and boys with reference want places. Apply at Employment office, No. 1 Sixth street, (formerly St. Clair,) first door from Suspension Bridge, Pittsburgh, Pa.

FOUND.

FOUND.—A WATCH, which the owner can get at 126 SECOND AVENUE. fe24

NOTICES.

NOTICE.—THE MEMBERS OF FRANKLIN LODGE, No. 221, A. Y. M., are requested to meet at the Hall, on SUNDAY, February 25th, at 1 o'clock P. M., to attend the funeral of our late Brother, EDWARD DE BARENNE. Members of sister Lodges are invited to attend.

By order of W. M. fe24:141

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PA., PITTSBURGH, February 22, 1872.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until 28th inst., inclusive, for building the STONE WORK of a new Bridge over Long Run, on the road leading from McKeesport to Elrod's Ferry in South Versailles township. Bids to be made at so much per perch. Plans and specifications can be seen on application.

By direction of County Commissioners.

fe22:d&S HENRY LAMBERT, Controller.

NOTICE TO Plumbers and Gas Fitters.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock M., MARCH 1st, at the office of JAMES SALISBURY, Esq., Burgess, for doing the Plumbing and Gas Fitting of the New Market House and Town Hall now in course of erection in Birmingham. Plans and Specifications of the work can be seen at the office of Barr & Moser, Architects, Nos. 2 and 4 Sixth street, Pittsburgh.

By order of the Building Committee. fe24:36

ELECTION NOTICE.—The annual MEETING of the Stockholders of THE UNION REFINING AND STORING CO. will be held at the office of the Company, corner of Duquesne Way and Eighth street, MONDAY, March 11th, 1872, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the election of Directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

fe21:19 WM. F. LANG, Secretary.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY CO., OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 12, 1872.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF the Stock and Bondholders of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company, in the city of Pittsburgh, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on WEDNESDAY, March 20, 1872, for the purpose of hearing and considering the Annual Report and for the election of four (4) members of the Board of Directors to serve for four years, in the place of four members whose terms of service expire by law.

F. M. HUTCHINSON,

feb13:k52 Secretary and Treasurer.

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF GAS AND GAS METERS FOR ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

DESIRING THAT THE PUBLIC should more generally avail themselves of the advantages of this office, I would give notice to persons desiring to have their meters tested to leave their orders at the office of their respective Gas companies, or at my office, corner of Twenty-third and Smallman streets, and they shall receive prompt attention.

R. H. SMITH,

fe3 Inspector.

DIVIDENDS.

CENTRAL BANK, PITTSBURGH, February 24th, 1872.

DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors have this day declared a dividend of FIVE (5) PER CENT. out of the profits of the last six months, payable to stockholders forthwith.

fe23:45 J. W. DAVITT, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE TRIUMPH OIL CO., No. 99 First avenue, PITTSBURGH, Feb. 14, 1872.

DIVIDEND No. 13.

The Board of Directors of this Company have this day declared a Dividend of FIVE PER CENT. on its Capital Stock, payable on the 4th of March at this office. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 27th inst. to the 4th proximo inclusive.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders to elect a Board of Directors, and for other business, will be held at the office of the Company, on MONDAY, March 4th, at three o'clock P. M.

fe15:k82 WM. LOEFFLER, Secretary.

TO-LET.

TO-LET.—FURNISHED ROOMS, suitable for Young Men or Gentlemen and their Wives, with or without board. Inquire at 108 Wylie avenue. fe26:46

TO-LET.—THREE NEW BRICK HOUSES, Mansard Roof, containing Eight Rooms and Bath Room, situated on Franklin street, near Washington street, 7th ward. Inquire of H. PERRY, 107 Wood street. fe1:120

TO-LET.—DRUG STORE, with Fixtures situated corner of Wylie and Washington streets. One of the oldest stands in the city. Inquire of H. PERRY, 107 Wood street. fe21:121

TO-LET OR LEASE.—The Warehouse, No. 199 Liberty street, from April 1st next. The same to be remodeled. Apply at 227 Liberty street, or 59 Federal street, Allegheny. fe20:18

TO-LET.—A LARGE HOUSE containing 20 Rooms, suitable for Boarding House, situated on one of the Street Car Railways. For terms, &c., apply at Hardware Store No. 40 Federal street, Allegheny. fe20:11

TO-LET.—THE LARGE WAREHOUSE, No. 77 WATER STREET. Apply on the premises to GEORGE W. HAILMAN. fe10:k34-tf

TO-LET.—RESIDENCE on South avenue, Allegheny city; Brick; 11 rooms; Gas and Water; Boston Range. Large lot. Rent low to a good tenant. Apply to CROFT & PHILLIPS Real Estate Agents, opposite Postoffice. fe18:k85

TO-LET.—A very desirable Dwelling House, with all modern improvements, in a clean part of the city. For particulars address J. H. C., GAZETTE office. fe8

TO-LET.—ROOMS ON FIFTH AVENUE in First National Bank Building. One Room in Basement fronting on Fifth Avenue; One Room in second story, fronting Fifth avenue. Inquire of J. D. SCULLY, Cashier.

TO-LET.—From April 1st, TWO DWELLING HOUSES, Nos. 172 and 174 Second avenue. Also, COTTAGE DWELLING on Montgomery avenue, near to Federal street, Allegheny city. Also, WAREHOUSE, corner of First and Wood streets. Apply to ANDREW D. SMITH, at Park & Co., Second avenue. ja26:158

TO-LET.—HOUSES.—That eligible House, No. 47 FRANKLIN STREET, containing 8 large and spacious rooms, and bath, with all modern improvements.

Also, House No. 7 TOWNSEND STREET, containing 9 rooms, water and gas throughout. Will be rented reasonable to suitable tenants. Inquire of MULLEN & MALONEY.

fe20:12 Corner Duquesne Way and Cecil alley.

TO-LET.—One HOUSE of 11 Rooms, Wide Hall, 2 Parlors with Bay Windows, Marble Mantels and Hearths, finished in modern style with Pump and Cistern, and Stable and Carriage House, on Penn avenue, two doors from the city line. Also, ONE THREE STORY BRICK, 9 Rooms, No. 904 Penn avenue. Also, TWO 2 STORY BRICKS, 5 Rooms each, No. 921 and 923 Penn avenue, 12th ward. Apply to JAMES TIBBY, 904 Penn avenue, or TIBBY BROTHERS, Water street, near Market. fe20:11

TO-LET—TWO STORES with Dwellings, on Ohio street, west of the Diamond. Also frame dwelling in rear of store will be rented low to a good tenant. Enquire of S. M. ORR, 114 Federal street, Allegheny City. fe14:k64

TO LET.—Two Stores, Nos. 180 and 182 Federal street, formerly occupied by the undersigned suitable for dry goods, trimmings notions, are now being refitted and will be ready for occupancy between March 15 and April 1. For terms, &c., apply to WILLIAM SEMPLE, 165, 167 and 169 Federal street, Allegheny. fe13:k45

TO-LET.

That Desirable Business Stand on the corner Taylor avenue and Monterey streets, Allegheny city, with Dwelling attached; Plate Glass Front and Stone Pavement. Admirably adapted for Fancy Grocery, Confectionery or Drug Store. Also, adjoining the above, on Taylor avenue, THREE NEW TWO STORIED PRESSED BRICK DWELLINGS, eight rooms each; Gas and Water; Boston Range; inside Shutters, with French Glass in front windows. Inquire of

ALEXANDER KING,

94 Water and 120 First avenue, Pittsburgh. fe22:25

TO-LET.

Storage Rooms In BINGHAM & CASSEL'S WAREHOUSE, 364 and 370 Penn avenue.

TO-LET,

DRY CELLAR, With Hoisting Apparatus. Entrance from Street or Warehouse. ja19:15

FOR RENT.

Stores, Rooms, Offices, BASEMENTS, ROOMS.

INQUIRE OF

WM. H. LOWE,

Attorney-at-Law,

NO. 96 FIFTH AVENUE.

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.—A very desirable Two-story Dwelling, pressed brick front, of seven rooms, hall, bath room, finished attic, dry cellar, front yard, and every convenience for a comfortable home. Location very pleasant and clean. Situate No. 33 Locust street, Fifth ward, Allegheny. Price $6,500. Terms easy. Inquire of owner, on premises or at Dollar Savings Bank. fe26:143

FOR SALE.—A LOT OF GOOD SHELVING, suitable for Dry Goods, &c. Apply at No. 63 East Ohio st., Allegheny. fe21:113

FOR SALE.—TWO ENGINES AND TWO BOILERS, with everything connected with them, a complete and in good order. Apply to SULLIVAN & FREKER, No. 58 Seventh avenue, Pittsburgh. fe20:k99

FOR SALE.

TWO HANDSOME 3 STORY DWELLINGS on Washington street, Allegheny City.

fe1:90 ISAAC M. PENNOCK, No. 59 Fourth Avenue.

FOR SALE.—Enclosed bids will be received by the subscriber until the 16th day of March, FOR THE SALE OF THE HAZLEWOOD SCHOOL HOUSE AND LOT, situated in 23d ward, Pittsburgh. The Lot is 60 feet by 200, and a one story Frame House, 2 rooms. Address, WM. ALEXANDER,

fe21:114 President.

FOR SALE—DRUG STORE.—A first CLASS DRUG STORE in a manufacturing town, centrally located and on a principal thoroughfare, doing a good business. Stock and fixtures new. Satisfactory reasons given for selling. For particulars, &c., address Lock Box 14, McKeesport, Penna. ja24

FOR SALE.—10 Acres in Chartiers township, cheap. 14 Acres, with buildings, one mile from Brodhead Station. 2 New Houses, Mt. Washington, cheap. 15x275 Western avenue, extending to Lincoln avenue. 33 Locust street, Allegheny City. Fine Residence on Lincoln avenue, with two Lots. Fine Residence and 6 Acres on South Side. 1200 Lots in Borough of Espy, at very low prices. Twenty equal annual payments. These lots are not over two miles from the Postoffice. Why go seven to ten miles from your work to buy a lot? Come and see. THOS. F. STEWART, Dealer in Real Estate, Notes, Bonds and Mortgages, 48 Fifth avenue. no7

HOTEL FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN.—The Granite House, in Wellsburg, West Virginia, with two large lots of ground. This Hotel is well built and conveniently arranged, hall, twenty rooms, cellar, large stable, ice house, smoke house, carriage house, &c; in good location, fronting on Water street, at steamboat landing, and on Charles st. The P. W. & Ky. railroad to be finished next September will pass through Wellsburg. For further information apply to

S. CUTHBERT & SON,

fe22:23 56 Smithfield street.

FOR SALE.

Hand Street Property,

CORNER HAND AND PENN STREETS.

70 feet 3 inches on Hand. 53 feet 3 inches on Penn street, on which are erected THREE 3 STORY BRICK DWELLINGS and THREE STORE ROOMS.

TERMS—One-third cash; balance in five years; interest payable semi-annually, secured by bond and mortgage on the property. Apply to

A. W. LOOMIS,

Room 85 Monongahela House, or at THOS. D. LOOMIS',

fe16:k78 114 Fifth avenue.

FOR SALE.—The FARM, of about 123 ACRES, late homestead of Wm. Haslett, Sr., deceased, in Reserve township, 2 miles from Allegheny Diamond Market.

This farm is well known as most productive, well watered, abundance good Building stone, easy to quarry, large Brick Dwelling House, Stabling, &c., two Tenant Houses, Two Apple and One Pear Orchard, considerable Skirt or Ned Coal, with some Black still in the land. Access to Dwelling House is now from Perrysville or Butchers' Run Plank Road, but road of easy grade could be had from Spring Garden Run, which passes through the Farm.

The attention of capitalist, or companies, or individuals, wishing to safely invest, where prospect of property greatly advancing in price, is called to the above proposed sale, as the executors are desirous to sell so as to close up their account.

For terms, &c., apply to DAVID GREGG, No. 99 Wood street, Pittsburgh, or to ROBERT AIKEN, near Brick Mans on the Farm. fe16:k76

FOR SALE.—1st, A LOT OF 6 ACRES in 17th Ward, Pittsburgh, bounded by Centre, 47th and 48th streets. Will be offered as a whole until March 1st, and if not sold will be subdivided and sold in city lots.

2d. A LOT in same Ward, fronting 220 feet on Hatfield street and 220 feet on 46th street on which is erected a Planing Mill. If not sold will be rented for term of years, either the whole with board yard or the upper story of the mill.

3d. A LOT near Outer Depot of A. V. Railroad, fronting 100 feet on 47th street and extending in depth 100 feet to an alley. Suitable for a foundry and machine shop.

All of the above will be sold low and on good terms.

All the above property is located in the most prosperous manufacturing district in the city, and will be a fine chance for real estate dealers or those who may wish to invest for speculation, or to improve on, as mechanics and laborers can have work at almost any branch of labor and be near his residence.

Inquire of SAMUEL DUFF, No. 147 First avenue, 101 Fifth avenue, or corner of 46th and Hatfield street. fe14:k63-MWF

SCHOOL BONDS FOR SALE.

The Central Board of Education of the City of Pittsburgh offers for sale a small number of 7 PER CENT. COUPON BONDS, issued in sums of One Thousand Dollars, with principal payable October 1 1876, which are confidently offered to capitalists as a PERFECTLY SAFE investment, and probably the most desirable security now in the market. This is a *home investment, known to be secure* beyond a doubt. The bonds are exempt from all county and municipal taxes, and present the essential qualities of ABSOLUTE SAFETY AND LIBERAL INTEREST. For particulars apply to

J. R. McCUNE, Treasurer,

ja17:96 At Union National Bank.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

EXCHANGE AND CITIZENS' NATIONAL, HOMESTEAD BANK AND INSURANCE, CENTRAL TRANSPORTATION, ENTERPRISE INSURANCE STOCK.—Will be added to former large list of valuable stocks to be sold TUESDAY EVENING, Feb. 27th, at 7½ o'clock, on second floor of McIlwaine's Auction Rooms, 106 Smithfield street.

9 shares Exchange National Bank;

3 shares Citizens' National Bank;

10 shares Homestead Bank and Life Insurance company;

14 shares Central Transportation Co. (Sleeping Car stock),

25 shares Enterprise Insurance Co.

fe26 A. McILWAINE, Auctioneer.

OFFICE OF THE TRIUMPH OIL COMPANY, No. 99 First Avenue, PITTSBURGH, February 24th, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following Certificates of Stock in the Triumph Oil Co. having been lost or destroyed, Duplicate Certificates will be issued in lieu thereof after March 20, upon Bonds of Indemnity with satisfactory sureties being filed with the Company, after which time the originals, if in existence, will be null and void:

Certificates No. 36 & 390 issued to J. T. Ryerson.
" " 25 " 385 " " Geo. S. Bown.
" " 31 " 387 " " Robt. L. North.
" " 60 " 460 " " Tomlinson Bros
" " 49 " 397 " " Geo. T. Abbey.
" " 47 " 396 " " John Nutt.
" " 46 " 393 " " Henry Brooks.
" " 71 " 403 " " L. J. Gage.

fe26 TS WILLIAM LOEFFLER, Secretary.

JUST RECEIVED AT WATTLES & SHEAFER'S, 101 Fifth Avenue,

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Of Pittsburgh, Allegheny City and Allegheny County.

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MONDAY, FEB. 26, 1872.

☞ **HEADQUARTERS REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF PENNSYLVANIA.**

PHILADELPHIA, February 5, 1872.

In pursuance of the resolution of the REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE, adopted at Harrisburg Jan 18, 1872, a REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION, composed of Delegates from each Senatorial and Representative District in the number to which such District is entitled in the Legislature, will meet in the Hall of the House of Representatives, at Harrisburg, at 12 o'clock, noon, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of April, A. D., 1872, to nominate candidates for Governor, Judge of the Supreme Court, Auditor General (should the Legislature provide for the choice of one by the people), and an Electoral Ticket; and also to elect Senatorial and Representative Delegates to represent this State in the REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION, to be held in Philadelphia, June 5, 1872.

RUSSELL ERRETT, Chairman.

WM. ELLIOTT, D. F. HOUSTON, EZRA LUKENS, F. M. LYTLE, Secretaries.

BONDS at Frankfort 95¼.

PETROLEUM at Antwerp 44½f.

GOLD closed in New York on Saturday at 110⅞.

WE FIND on looking over the new fee bill that the District Attorney is allowed one half of the *fees and percentages* on forfeited recognizances instead of one half of the forfeited recognizances themselves. There is nothing improper in this.

THAT luminous Constitutional Convention of West Virginia has agreed to permit gentlemen of the ministerial cloth to become members of the Legislature, but the telegraph significantly adds that they will be required to take an oath that they will not accept bribes for their votes.

OUR dear little Virgin alley neighbor says:

The nomination of Judge Davis of the Supreme Court, as a Presidential candidate by the National Labor Reform Convention at Columbus, has great political significance.

We thought you were for Thomas A. Scott. Has Davis outstripped him?

NEW YORK CITY has yet some virtuous people left since a society is about being formed for the suppression of obscene publications. The object is a most laudable one, and we sincerely hope it may be accomplished, as incalculable damage is done to the morals of society, especially the young of both sexes, by such terrible publications.

THE CRAWFORD COUNTY system of making nominations daily grows more in disfavor wherever tried. We have already announced the fact of its abolishment in several counties, even in Crawford, where it first found birth, and now the Republicans of Union county have declared in favor of a return to the old delegate system.

THE news from France is rather exciting, the delayed crisis being nigh at hand. The outlook for the insipid Republic is by no means good, and it seems apparent that German arms will yet have to bring order out of the political chaos in which the unhappy French are involved. Now arises the problem as to whom will fall the imperial crown lost at Sedan?

"THEY have a newspaper in Missouri called the *Headlight*. We have a venerable old "organ" in Pittsburgh which might appropriately be called the *Lighthead*."

This is a species of the grand humor that runs through the veins of our Virgin alley contemporary. It makes us laugh every time that it coins a joke, no matter at whose expense. The *Post* is too funny when it tries to be so.

THE *Post* ran wild in its praise of Senator Delemater while he remained faithful to his "pairing" off with the sick Senator Knight, but now since he has secured an honorable dissolution of the contract, the honied words of flattery are dropped and abuse follows. Our mild mannered neighbor is given to changing his views of men and measures. We remember how the *Post* changed opinion on the merits of City Treasurer Magee, who owed his handsome majority to the very fact of its opposition, for its praise would condemn any person.

THE MEETING held on Saturday afternoon last in the Mayor's office to take action on the subject of new public buildings for the purposes of the general government in this city was a representative one, made up of our leading merchants, manufacturers and professional people. Elsewhere we print the proceedings. The resolutions recite the immediate and pressing necessity for improved accommodations for the transaction of the court and official business of the United States, in this the third most important District in the United States. The action of General James S. Negley in introducing a bill in Congress for the needed appropriation was warmly and cordially endorsed, and a committee of leading citizens will leave to-day to second his endeavors in the matter at the National capitol. Now that the movement has been fairly started it is to be hoped that nothing will be left undone to secure the desired end. The committee will tell Congress, on behalf of the people, how sadly such buildings are needed, and no doubt our claims will secure the favorable consideration which they deserve.

SENATOR HARRY WHITE paid a visit to our sanctum on Saturday, and during his stay remarked that he thought he had been misrepresented by the press in regard to his action on the libel law. He does not oppose an amendment to the present law, which will secure to innocent parties a right to establish their innocence before a court and jury. His opposition to Senator Graham's amendment to the libel law was made on the ground that he thought, and still thinks, the Constitution gives ample security to the publisher of newspapers, and further he was unaware that any person or section was asking for a change in the law of libel. His remark that he did not fear to oppose the section offered by Senator Graham, was a rejoinder to some playful remark of a brother Senator, and had no particular meaning. He was amazed to find his position misunderstood and his reputation assailed by certain journals for his action in this matter. We are glad to find that Senator White is right on this subject, and that he will favor an amendment which will secure to the press the justice that is now denied it. We felt that such a progessive and generally fair man as he has always proved himself to be, could not afford to take the "old fogy" view of this matter, and we take pleasure in announcing that he did not, nor does he now.

FLOPPING.

[From the Pittsburgh Commercial of February 17, 1872.]

"Whatever may be the result of the McClure-Gray contest at Harrisburg, it cannot be denied that from the manner it has been conducted, to the unbiased mind the conclusion is inevitable, *that the opponents of Col. McClure fear the result of a searching inquiry* to ascertain who was actually elected Senator in the Fourth District."

The GAZETTE, in reply, said:

"We deny this utterly, and charge the aforesaid editor with a base attempt to mislead his readers, and at the same time, with approving the attempt of the Democratic members to violate the law governing the case. There is a right way, and a wrong way to do everything, and we insist that under *the law as it now stands*, no contest can take place this session. But the Republican Senators have shown a willingness to change that law to suit this case, and permit an investigation into the alleged frauds in the IVth district. Will the *Commercial* dare to deny it?

[From the Pittsburgh Commercial of February 24, 1872.]

"The fact that the Senate ordered a Committee—a Committee that will proceed without fear or favor—is creditable to the Senate and the Republican party. *It furnishes another proof that the party does not fear the truth, that it is only anxious to reform abuses wherever they are shown to exist*; that it will perpetuate no wrong that it can correct, and will be first in ferreting out wrong doing whenever and wherever there are reasonable grounds for an investigation. The opposition will make no capital by charging the Republican party with corruption, or irregularities of any kind. It is to its everlasting credit that it stands ready to punish offenders, and never so ready as when suspicion points to its own ranks."

This is the way a certain old writer ridiculed such people:

Hamlet—"Do you see yonder cloud that's almost in shape of a camel?"
Polonius—"By the mass, 'tis like a camel, indeed."
Ham—"Methinks it is like a weasel."
Pol—"It is backed like a weasel."
Ham—"Or, like a whale?"
Pol—"Very like a whale."
"Frailty, thy name is"—Brigham.

WHICH IS RIGHT?

[From the Pittsburgh Post 25th.]

The "oldest" in speaking of the McClure-Gray contest says that the commitee would meet in Philadelphia yesterday and "begin at once to hear the testimony. The indications are that the whole matter will be referred back to the voters of the IVth district, where it properly belongs." But is it not very possible that the sapient old "organ" might be mistaken? It has not been many weeks since it "sneeringly" said that Col. McClure "would have a good time of it," in trying to get a committee.

We never said "sneeringly" or otherwise any such a thing. What we did say was this:

"Mr. McClure will have a good time of it, getting in a petition to contest *undr the law regulating contested elections.* The act of July 2d, 1839, which is the only one on the subject, says," etc.

If our Senators had not shown a willingness to investigate this matter to its lowest depths, and with that purpose in view, enacted a *new law* to suit this case, McClure could not have contested this session, as the law of 1839 referred to, utterly forbade any such a thing. In order to permit McClure to make the contest, and allow the largest latitude for examination into alleged frauds, the Republicans, in the Senate *proposed* this new act, which was *opposed* by every Democrat in the Senate, who insisted on drawing a committee in open and flagrant violation of the act of 1839. Not until they found this wholly impossible did the Democrats consent to the passage of the present law, under which the contest is progressing. The record of the Republican Senators in this whole affair, is honorable and praiseworthy, whilst that of the Democratic members is dishonorable and revolutionary. The action of the Republicans this session, is in broad contrast with that of the Democratic majority in the Lyndall-Dechert case, a year ago, where the most unblushing acts of tyranny and usurpation of power were resorted to, sufficient to blanch the cheek of an *honest* Democrat, at the mere mention of them. We say again "under the law regulating contested elections," the same law which had been in operation since 1839, McClure could not have contested the right to the seat of Col. Gray. That he now has that privilege, he may thank the Republican Senators only.

One thing more on this subject before we close. We have held that this contest was one purely of party—McClure representing the Democrats, and Gray the Republicans, and in proof of this we point among other things (not the least of which is the advocacy of the cause of McClure by the Pittsburgh *Post*, as well as the *Commercial*) to the fact that McClure struck from the list of thirteen names, drawn for the purpose of securing the seventh member of the committee, the name of *every Republican*, including such men as Miles S. Humphreys, Billingfelt, George H. Anderson and Strang. By doing that he tacitly confessed that he preferred a Democrat to one of these Republicans, to sit in judgment on his case. Did he think that any of these men would perjure themselves by acting unfairly; or did he fear they would simply be JUST?

OUR FOREIGN COMMERCE FOR 1871.

Great as is our foreign commerce, yet its importance is not to be judged from its amount alone. It supplies our manufactures with raw material we cannot produce, and it relieves the home market of surplusses, which, unless so disposed, would depress the home prices, and, consequently, our home industries.

In this view of its effects, it is worthy careful study, and to facilitate this investigation, we collate and arrange the statistics of our foreign trade for the year 1871, taken principally from the monthly report of the Bureau of Statistics of the Treasury Department.

The imports and exports for the financial year of 1871, ending June 30th, are as follows:

IMPORTS.

Foreign merchandise	$519,593,750
Same, re-exported	14,421,290
Foreign gold and silver	21,900,024
Same, re-exported	14,038,609
Total imports	541,493,708
Total foreign exports	28,459,899

EXPORTS (*Gold Value.*)

Domestic merchandize	$428,539,017
Gold and silver	84,505,256
Total exports	$513,044,273

BALANCE OF TRADE.

Foreign merchandise, imported, less the same exported	$505,172,460
Domestic merchandise exported	428,539,017
Balance against us	$ 76,633,443
This and shipping charges were paid for by exporting gold and silver	$ 84,505,256

FROM WHENCE THIS GOLD AND SILVER CAME.

Estimated annual product of our gold and silver mines	$ 66,000,000
Gold and silver imported	14,039,628
	$ 80,038,629
Drawn from the gold and silver of last year	$ 4,466,627

The following Statistics exhibit our trade with the several foreign nations, but the estimated values of exports are *in currency*, and, therefore, a reduction of their amount should be made of about 12 per cent.

A very general impression exists that the United States buys more from England than she does from us. But the following tables show the contrary. The balance of trade, as above exhibited, is created chiefly for coffee, tea, and sugar, as our trade with Cuba, Brazil and China shows. It furnishes an argument for the annexation of San Domingo, which, under American cultivation, would give us all the coffee and sugar we need:

FOREIGN NATIONS.

Imports from, and Exports to, in 1871.

1. Great Britain and Ireland.	
Imports from	$220,880,367
Domestic exports to	344,632,550
Foreign exports to	13,573,703
2. Canada and other British North American possessions:	
Imports from	37,424,351
Domestic exports to	29,790,894
Foreign exports to	4,711,832
3. British West Indies:	
Imports from	7,345,088
Domestic exports to	8,847,417
Foreign exports to	132,553
4. British East Indies and Australia:	
Imports from	13,988,198
Domestic exports to	2,642,869
Foreign exports to	85,400
5. British possessions in the Mediterranean and Africa:	
Imports from	2,732,856
Domestic exports to	4,922,941
Foreign exports to	266,044
Imports from Great Britain and her possessions	282,370,860
Exports to Great Britain and her possessions	409,606,213
Balance in our favor	127,235,353
"Let us have peace!"	
6. France:	
Imports from	28,103,025
Domestic exports to	27,117,512
Foreign exports to	267,703
7. French Possessions in America:	
Imports from	1,686,109
Domestic exports to	1,256,791
Foreign exports to	37,067
8. French Possessions in Africa:	
Imports from	200,894
Domestic exports to	258,117
Foreign exports to	46,892
Imports from France and possessions	29,990,023
Exports to the same	29,087,082
Balance against us	902,946
9. Spain:	
Imports from	4,188,445
Domestic exports to	10,248,220
Foreign exports to	3,566
10. Cuba, Porto Rico and Other Spanish Possessions:	
Imports from	73,332,837
Domestic exports to	17,720,592
Foreign exports to	1,805,270
Imports from Spain and possessions	77,521,282
Exports to the same	19,777,[illegible]48
Balance against us	57,743,554
11. North German Union:	
Imports from	25,093,635
Domestic exports to	34,610,621
Foreign exports to	855,008
12. Holland:	
Imports from	2,047,962
Domestic exports to	12,381,161
Foreign exports to	288,970
13. Dutch West Indies:	
Imports from	1,064,057
Domestic exports to	842,620
Foreign exports to	25,788
14. Dutch East Indies:	
Imports from	3,043,131
Domestic exports to	263,785
15. Denmark and Danish West Indies:	
Imports from	673,775
Domestic exports to	2,521,394
Foreign exports to	13,993
16. Russia and Russian Possessions:	
Imports from	1,462,901
Domestic exports to	6,777,442
Foreign exports to	26,366
17. Austria and Austrian Possessions:	
Imports from	944,028
Domestic exports to	1,639,130
Foreign exports to	23,240
18. Portugal:	
Imports from	329,064
Domestic exports to	1,423,949
Foreign exports to	6,345
19. Portuguese Possessions:	
Imports from	82,432
Domestic exports to	166,559
Foreign exports to	1,743
20. Sweden, Norway and Swedish West Indies:	
Imports from	1,839,024
Domestic exports to	1,318,797
Foreign exports to	83
21. Belgium:	
Imports from	4,178,714
Domestic exports to	11,610,950
Foreign exports to	261,260
22. Italy and Sicily:	
Imports from	7,443,754
Domestic exports to	6,099,449
Foreign exports to	68,776
23. Greece:	
Imports from	298,335
Domestic exports to	33,101
24. Turkey:	
Imports from	527,493
Domestic exports to	1,249,071
Foreign exports to	1,314
25. Mexico:	
Imports from	17,511,163
Domestic exports to	5,082,533
Foreign exports to	2,568,080
26. Central American States:	
Imports from	1,528,399
Domestic exports to	589,505
Foreign exports to	20,000
27. Hayti and San Domingo:	
Imports from	1,055,675
Domestic exports to	2,791,057
Foreign exports to	173,949
28. United States of Columbia:	
Imports from	6,436,776
Domestic exports to	4,182,567
Foreign exports to	237,512
29. Brazil, Argentine Republic and Uruguay:	
Imports from	40,172,108
Domestic exports to	8,188,409
Foreign exports to	317,535
30. Peru and Chili:	
Imports from	5,447,974
Domestic exports to	5,028,184
Foreign exports to	134,340
31. Sandwich Islands:	
Imports from	1,153,154
Domestic exports to	840,385
Foreign exports to	43,730
32. China and Japan:	
Imports from	25,454,306
Domestic exports to	4,987,891
Foreign exports to	2,364,929
33. All other countries:	
Imports from	3,823,678
Domestic exports to	2,610,668
Foreign exports to	96,702
Our total exports by this table, currency value, are	$562,518,651
Of which Great Britain and her possessions take	409,606,213
All other nations only	$152,912,438

It is true that of this $409,606,213 $82,254,160 are gold and silver, but this does not arise from any cash balances against us in our trade with her, but as Great Britain is the creditor of most other nations and the great commercial centre, our balances with other nations, are paid off by remittances to Great Britain. Thus, for instance, the balance of trade against the United States with Cuba and Porto Rico, &c., is $53,806,975, yet we send to those places *direct* only $1,282,981 in specie.

By reference to our table of the trade with Great Britian and Ireland, it will be seen that our exports to them are $358,206,258, and our imports from them but $220,880,367, leaving a balance in our favor of $137,325,891. The larger portion of this great balance is caused by our exports of specie to Great Britian, in order to adjust the balances against us due other nations.

It is interesting in connection with this exhibition of our foreign trade, to present our principal imports and exports, so arranged in classes as to exhibit their *uses.*

IMPORTS.

1. Raw Material:	
India Rubber and Gutta Percha	$ 8,107,344
Furs and Fur Skins undressed	3,213,721
Hemp	3,918,129
Hides and Skins	14,892,987
Jute, &c	2,131,056
Tin	3,093,355
Tobacco Leaf	3,453,669
Pig Iron	3,108,490
Dye Stuff's	3,549,501
Indigo	2,052,222
Wool	9,780,443
Horse Hair	1,379,649
Rags	3,748,984
Raw Silk	5,739,591
Woods	909,330
Boards, Scantling, Shingles, &c	7,913,940
Zinc	849,441
	72,710,993
2. Manufactures:	
Books	1,868,228
Buttons	1,444,577
Clothing	2,874,128
Cotton Cloths	29,876,640
Earthen, Stone and China Ware	4,681,376
Fancy Goods	4,693,822
Flax Goods	18,051,095
Glass	4,260,620
Iron and Iron Manufactures	40,751,585
Jute Manufactures	3,231,982
Leather	5,994,255
Leather Manufactures	4,405,779
Silks	32,841,001
Cigars, Snuff, &c	2,613,616
Watches and their Parts	3,328,448
Woolens	43,839,859
	204,333,341
3. Eatables, &c:	
Barley	3,678,710
Rice	1,876,786
Coffee	30,992,869
Fish	2,533,924
Fruits and Nuts	9,692,630
Provisions and Vegetables	3,650,487
Spices	2,165,557
Sugar and Molasses	74,836,848
Tea	17,254,617
Liquors	8,438,507
	154,990,935

EXPORTS.

1. Raw Material:	
Cotton	218,327,109
Furs and Fur Skins	1,590,193
Tallow	3,025,035
Tobacco Leaf	19,908,797
Boards, Lumber, Staves, &c	10,808,347
	253,659,481
2. Manufactures:	
Machinery and iron manufactures	$ 4,687,754
Muskets, pistols, rifles, &c	13,463,916
Cartridges and fuses	3,201,043
Tar, rosin and turpentine	1,694,435
Spirits of turpentine	1,099,568
Petroleum	36,059,549
Tobacco manufactured	2,087,160
Household furniture	1,110,091
Sewing machines	1,898,864
	$ 65,272,320
3. Eatables, &c:	
Breadstuffs	$ 79,381,187
Provisions	38,846,199
Oil cake	1,600,551
	$119,827,937

RECAPITULATION.

Imports:	
Raw material	$ 72,710,993
Manufactures	204,333,341
Eatables, &c	154,990,935
	$432,035,269
Exports:	
Raw material	$253,659,481
Manufactures	65,272,320
Eatables, &c	119,827,937
	$438,759,738

It will thus be seen that in our foreign trade, the leading imports and exports balance each other very closely.

Under the divisions of domestic manufactures exported, will be found some articles that will arrest the reader's attention. These are Muskets, Pistols, Rifles, Cartridges and Fuses. Prior to 1870, the exports of these were so small that they were placed among the unenumerated articles. But in the latter part of the fiscal year of 1870, their exportation demanded a separate specification, and their export, for the fiscal year of 1870, was $5,707,022. For the fiscal year of 1871 it increased to $16,664,959.

It is this great exportation to which Mr. Sumner's resolution and preamble refer, proposing to inquire whether the workshops of our Government supplied any of the orders thus exported.

Our trade with France is usually much larger than as it appears in the above tables, the German war having greatly reduced it. But there is a great increase with that of England, from the same cause, and a part of this increase was the arms exported, being purchased by Englishmen, and by them taken to France. An act that Bismarck denounced to the Government of Great Britain as a gross violation of the duty of a neutral nation.

THE announcement on Sunday of the killing of an American named Minor by a workingman proves to have been a mistake. It appears Minor himself was the murderer. He was formerly a surgeon in the United States army, and his home is in New Haven, Connecticut. He has been examined on the charges preferred against him, and remanded to prison to await trial. It is believed the prisoner is insane. Mr. J. Nunn, the United States Vice Consul-General at London, will attend the trial of the prisoner and see that his interests are properly protected.

BRIDGING THE OHIO.

Gen. James S. Negley sends us the subjoined text of the bill agreed upon by the Committee on Commerce regulating the erection of bridges for railroad or other purposes across the Ohio river. The bill is carefully studied and prepared, and will doubtless meet with the favor and endorsement of these most immediately interested in the prevention of bridge obstructions to navigation on that very important artery of trade and commerce. As it is recommended by the proper committee, it will in all probability be enacted into law. Here it is entire:

A BILL

To authorize the construction of bridges across the Ohio River, and to prescribe the dimensions of the same.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That any persons or corporations, having lawful authority therefor from the States upon whose soil the ends of said bridges may rest, may erect bridges across the Ohio River, for railroad or other uses, upon compliance with the provisions and requirements of this act.

SEC. 2. That every bridge hereafter erected across the Ohio River, above the mouth of the Big Sandy, shall have at least one span of a height of not less than ninety feet above low water, and of not less than forty feet above local highest water, measured to the lowest part of the span; that every bridge hereafter erected across the Ohio River below the mouth of the Big Sandy shall have at least one span of a height of not less than one hundred feet above low water, and of not less than forty feet above highest water, measured to the lowest part of the span; that this high span shall give a clear opening of at least four hundred feet between the piers, measured at right angles to the current at every stage, and that it shall be placed over that portion of the river used by boats during ordinary stages of water: *Provided*, That in case this high span is not over the low-water channel, suitable arrangements be made elsewhere to permit the passage of single boats under the bridge at low water; that all bridges over the Ohio River below the Covington and Cincinnati suspension bridge shall have, in addition to the high span prescribed above, a pivot draw, giving two clear openings of one hundred and sixty feet each, measured at right angles to the current at the average stage of water in the river, and located in a part of the bridge that can be safely and conveniently reached at that stage; and that said draw shall be opened promptly, upon reasonable signal, for the passage of boats whose construction shall not be such as to admit of their passage under the permanent spans of said bridge, except when trains are passing over the same.

SEC. 3. That the piers of the high span and the piers of the draw shall be built parallel with the current and at that stage of the river which is most important for navigation; and that no ripraps or other outside protection for imperfect foundations will be permitted in the channel-way of the high span or of the draw-openings.

SEC. 4. That any person, company or corporation authorized to construct a bridge across the Ohio river by the States upon whose territory said bridge will abut, shall give notice by publication for one week in newspapers having a wide circulation, in not less than two newspapers in the cities of Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Louisville, St. Louis, Memphis and New Orleans, and submit to the Secretary of War, for his examination, a design of the bridge and piers, and a map of the location, giving, for the space of at least one mile above and one mile below the proposed location, the topography of the banks of the river, the shore lines at high and low water, the direction of the current at all stages, and the soundings accurately showing the bed of the stream, the location of other bridge or bridges, and shall furnish such other information as may be required for a full and satisfactory understanding of the subject by the Secretary of War; and if the Secretary of War is satisfied that the provisions of the law have been complied with in regard to location, the building of the piers may be at once commenced; but if it shall appear that the conditions prescribed by this act cannot be complied with at the location where it is desired to construct the bridge, the Secretary of War shall, after considering any remonstrances filed against the building of said bridge, and furnishing copies of such remonstrances to the Board of Engineers provided for in this act, detail a board, composed of three experienced officers of the Corps of Engineers, to examine the case, and may, on their recommendation, authorize such modifications in the requirements of this act, not, however, diminishing the width of the spans contemplated by this act, as will permit the construction of the bridge: *Provided*, That the free navigation of the river be not materially injured thereby.

SEC. 5. That all parties owning or operating bridges over the Ohio river shall maintain, at their own expense, from sunset to sunrise throughout the year, such lights on their bridges as may be required for the security of navigation under the Light House Board, and all persons owning or operating any bridge over the Ohio river, shall in any event maintain all lights on their bridge that may be necessary for the security of navigation.

SEC. 6. That any bridge constructed under this act, and according to its limitations, shall be a lawful structure, and shall be recognized and known as a post route, upon which, also, no higher charge shall be made for the transmission over the same of the mails, the troops, and the munitions of war of the United States, than the rate per mile paid for the transportation over the railroads or public highways leading to said bridge; and in case of any litigation arising from any obstruction or alleged obstruction to the navigation of said river created by the construction of any bridge under this act, the cause or question arising may be tried before the District Court of the United States of any State in which any portion of said obstruction or bridge touches.

SEC. 7. That the right to alter or amend this act so as to prevent or remove all material obstructions to the navigation of said river by the construction of bridges is hereby expressly reserved, without any liability of the Government for damages on account of the alteration or amendment of this act, or on account of the prevention or requiring the removal of any such obstruction.

SEC. 8. That joint resolution number ten, approved April 7th, 1869, authorizing the construction of a bridge over the Ohio river, at Paducah, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

THE DANGERS OF THE OCEAN.

Narrow Escape of the Helvetia--Two Men Swept Overboard--A Perilous Voyage.

[From the New York Times.]

Among the number of ill-starred ships that have recently met with misfortune is the steamer Helvetia, Capt. Griggs, of the National line, which arrived at this port on Wednesday. The Helvetia cleared from London on the 24th of January, with a full list of passengers and an assorted cargo. Havre was left behind on the 28th ult., and when five hundred miles at sea the first rough weather was experienced. This was on the 31st of January. At 9½ A. M. on that day George Ead and Joseph Augestin were sent forward to stow away the jib sails. The sea at the time was running wildly, great waves at times engulphing the ship. The two sailors completed their task and were returning to the forecastle when unexpectedly a tremendous wave struck the ship on the starboard side, almost burying her. The two men were carried away and were drowned almost instantly, as they were not seen afterward. Upon discovering the loss Capt. Griggs "slowed" the vessel in hopes that they might be seen and rescued, but it was of no avail. On the 3d of February a frightful hurricane, accompanied by blinding sleet, set in from west southwest. It lasted eight hours, and Capt. Griggs says that during all his ocean experience he never met with its equal. At midnight a mountainous wave struck the ship from the starboard side. The Captain at the time was standing on the bridge giving orders. The wave caught him with full force, and would have washed him into the sea had he not grasped a funnel stay. After the wave had passed the Captain found himself dangling in mid-air twenty feet from the deck. He held on till rescued. The storm continued with relentless fury until the 9th, when another monstrous wave was shipped. It carried away two lifeboats, made a complete wreck of the larboard side of the bridge, destroyed all the ventilators on deck, and tore a hole eight feet in length by two feet in breadth in the smoke-stack. Through the aperture thus made, an avalanche of water was precipitated into the engine room. The fires were all extinguished, and for two hours the vessel lay helplessly battling with the waves. After almost superhuman efforts, the rent in the funnel was patched up, the fires were again kindled, and the engines resumed operations. During this trying ordeal, every order was executed with coolness and promptness, as every man was at his post, well knowing that the safety of the ship depended on their alacrity.

The storm ceased at 6 P. M., but left high seas running. On the 10th another sea struck the *Helvetia* amidships, carrying away the starboard railings and staving in life-boat No. 5. The ship after that rode out several other heavy gales, and on the 13th experienced for the first time pleasant weather. Off the Newfoundland banks several large icebergs were passed.

The British Sun.

EDITORS GAZETTE: A year or two ago, or more, I read in some one of your papers an extract from the British *Pall Mall Gazette*, London, eulogizing Daniel Webster as being the author of that remarkable declaration—That the sun never sets on the British possessions. It was put in a way that seemed to me, while it lionized Webster a little, it glorified the British Lion more, and in reading it I thought I would poke my fun at the tory organ, and wrote the editor as follows: "That while the American statesman's remarkable sentiment or declaration was true, it was not the whole truth. It was lacking in the prophetic vision. That the British sun was destined to go down behind the western hills of American glory, grandeur and greatness. From the present tone of John Bull's press and their fuss about the Geneva Arbitration, it looks as though they thought the prediction was already or about to be fulfilled. BRADDOCK.

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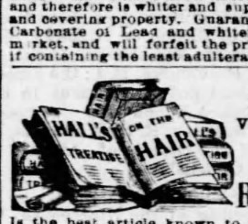

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OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, SATURDAY, February 24, 1872.

Robinson Bros., No. 78 Fourth avenue, furnish the following comparative quotations for bonds and stocks, from their latest advices by wire:

	Friday.	Saturday.
Bonds—1871	115⅜	115⅜
5-20—1862	111⅜	111⅜
" 1864	111⅜	111
" 1865	111⅜	111⅜
" 1865 new	110⅜	110⅜
" 1867	111⅜	111⅜
" 1868	112⅜	112⅜
10-40s	110⅜	110⅜
Currency 6,s	114⅜	114
Gold	111	110⅜
RAILWAYS.		
New York Central	97⅜	97
Do Scrip	92⅜	92⅜
Erie	30⅜	30⅜
Reading	114	113⅜
Lake Shore	91	91⅜
Ft. Wayne	97⅜	97⅜
Cleveland & Pittsburgh	90⅜	90⅜
Rock Island	110⅜	110⅜
Chicago & N W	74⅜	74⅜
Do. Preferred	91⅜	91⅜
St. Paul, Common	56	55⅜
Do. Preferred	77⅜	77⅜
Wabash	75⅜	75⅜
Union Pacific	33⅜	33⅜
Ohio & Mississippi	43⅜	43⅜
Pacific Mail	57⅜	59⅜
West. Union Telegraph	68⅜	68⅜
Adams Express	91	90
American Express	68⅜	68⅜
U. S. Express	65	64⅜
Wells, Fargo	71⅜	73

—Messrs. Gilbough, Bond & Co., bankers and brokers and members of the Philadelphia Stock Exchange, furnish the following quotations of the prices to-day of the most active stocks:

	Friday.	Saturday.
Penna. Central	62⅜	63⅜
Reading R. R.	57	56⅜
Camden & Amboy	125⅜	125⅜
Lehigh Navigation	40	39⅜
Oil Creek & Allegheny R R	40⅜	38⅜
Central Transportation	45⅜	46
Empire Transportation	55	55
Union Transportation	—	—
Pittsburgh City 5's	—	73⅜
A. V. R. R. 7-30 Bonds	—	93⅜
Pittsburgh City 4's	60	—
Lehigh Valley R. R.	62⅜	62⅜
Phila. & Erie	27⅜	27⅜

Closing quotations as received by James T. Brady & Co:

Gold	111	5-20 Jan. & Jy.'65	110⅜
U. S. 6s. 1881	115⅜	5-20 Jan. & Jy.'67	111⅜
U. S. 5-20s '62	111⅜	5-20 Jan. & Jy.'68	112⅜
U. S. 5-20s '64	111	U. P. R. R.	—
U. S. 5-20s '65	111⅜	C. P. R. R.	—
U. S. 10-40s	107	Cy Pacifics	—

NEW YORK, Feb. 24, 1872.

Gold was dull throughout the day, and closed at 110⅜. The rates for carrying to-day were 3, 1@1⅜, and 6 per cent to flat. The clearings were $55,000,000. The export of specie for the week amounted to $356,438. Money was easier this afternoon, when 7 per cent. gold was the maximum rate on call, and before the close loans were at 6 to 7 per cent. Day stock brokers paid 1-32 to 1-16 per diem.

The bank statement is unfavorable. The banks have made a net loss of $1,188,075 in their legal reserve, and now hold $2,568,025 above the 25 per cent. required by law.

The Government bond market was firm this afternoon, with a moderate demand. German bankers were trying to buy some of the old bonds, but found it extremely difficult. State bonds rather dull, with no feature of importance. The stock market gained strength as the day advanced, closing quiet. Transactions were generally at the highest figures of the day; the lowest figures gaining equal to ⅜ to 1⅜ per cent. In late dealings Pacific Mail, Western Union and Union Pacific were the most prominent stocks. Pacific Mail advanced from 57⅜ to 59⅜, and was quite active. It is reported this afternoon that the great bull and bear leaders on the Stock Exchange would renew the contest for supremacy next week.

Sterling exchange, 109⅜.

GOVERNMENTS.—Coupons, 1881, 115⅜; 5-20s of '62, 111⅜; do '64, 111⅜; do '65, 111⅜; new, 110⅜; do '67, 111⅜; do '68, 112⅜; 10-40s, 110⅜; currency, 6's, 115⅜.

STATE BONDS—Mississippi, 95⅜; Tennessee old, 67; do new, 67; Virginia new, 53; do old, 52; North Carolina old, 34⅜; do new. 17⅜.

MISCELLANEOUS—Western Union Telegraph, 69; Quicksilver, 30⅜; Adams Express Co., 90; Wells, Fargo & Co., 73; American Merchants' Union, 68⅜; United States, 64⅜; Pacific Mail, 58⅜; New York Central, 97⅜; Scrip, 92⅜; Erie, 30⅜; preferred, 59; Harlem, 109⅜; preferred, 125; Reading, 113⅜; Michigan Central, 117⅜; Cleveland & Pittsburgh, 90; Northw'n, 74⅜; preferred, 93⅜; Rock Island, 110⅜; New Jersey Central, 110⅜; St. Paul, 56; preferred. 77⅜; Wabash, 75⅜; preferred, 86; Fort Wayne, 97⅜; Terre Haute, 116; preferred, 57; Chicago & Alton, 117; preferred, 120; Ohio & Mississippi, 43⅜; C., C. & C., 88; Burlington & Quincy, 136; Lake Shore, 91⅜; Panama, 21⅜; Illinois Central, 134; Union Pacific, 34; C. P. bonds, 102⅜; Union, 91⅜.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, SATURDAY, February 24, 1872.

APPLE BUTTER—Common to fair 50@55 cts per gallon, prime to choice, 60@65.

ASHES—Firm: Common Soda Ash, 5 cts, refined do, 5⅜; Nitrate Soda, 5⅜; Pots, 10; Pearls, 11 cts.

APPLES—Steady and with a continued good demand and light receipts prices are well maintained, $3@4 for common to fair and $4,50@5 for prime to choice.

BROOM CORN—Quiet and unchanged, 6@9 cts as to quality.

BUTTER—Sales of prime to choice roll, in small packages, at 26@28. Common and medium in good supply and dull.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—4 cts per lb.

BEANS—Steady at $2,00@2,25 per bushel, as to quality.

CHEESE—We continue to quote in a jobbing way at 17@18 for Goshen; 15@16 for Factory and 14@14⅜ for Dairy.

CANNED GOODS—Peaches, $6@7 per case; Tomatoes, $4,25@4,50; Corn, $5,50@6.

CRANBERRIES—Sales at $12@17 per bbl, as to quality—the outside figure for Sackett's.

COUNTRY LARD—Sales at 8@8⅜ cts.

CONCENTRATED LYE—$6 per case.

CANDLES—Mould, 12; Star, 20.

CARBON OIL—Quoted at 20@20⅜ by the car load and 2@3 cts additional for small lots.

DRIED FRUIT—Peaches, 10@10⅜ for halves 8@8⅜ for mixed; 7@7⅜ for quarters and 18@20 for peeled. Apples, 7@7⅜ for common to fair and 8@8⅜ for good to prime. Blackberries, 13@15. Pitted Cherries, 28@30; unpitted, 8@10.

EGGS—Continue scarce and prices, in consequence, are still maintained, 30@32 for fresh.

FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged. Fair to good spring wheat, $7,25@7,50; choice, $7,75@7,85; red winter wheat, $7,50@7,75 for fair to good and $7,90@8 for choice. Rye Flour, $5,50. Trade is generally reported slow, most of the bakers and small dealers being pretty well stocked.

GRAIN—The operations in grain of all kinds have been rather light for some weeks past, and the markets, in a general way, present but little that is really new. The receipts of Wheat continue very light, and, with a steady milling demand, prices are firm but unchanged; $1,60@1,62 for good to prime red, and 3@5 cts more for white, according to quality. Oats continue dull, and, with continued liberal receipts, stocks are accumulating; prices, however, are without quotable change, 48@50 cts for mixed to white; so far as we can learn, dealers generally are unwilling to make any further concessions in order to effect sales, and it is pretty generally conceded that any further decline is not probable. There is but little doing in Corn, and the market is quiet and unchanged; 58 on track, and 60 in elevator, for shelled; sales of ear, in bulk, at 60 and bagged at 61@62. Rye is quiet and unchanged; 95@97, buying, and $1 00@1,02 selling—we are cognizant of 2,000 bushels having changed hands during the week at $1,02. There is rather more inquiry for Barley, and, with diminished receipts and offerings, the market is firmer, though prices are without quotable change; 75@80 for spring, and 85@90 for fall, according to quality.

GROCERIES—Coffee continues very dull, yet, notwithstanding there is no demand and stocks are steadily accumulating, prices are still sustained. Raw Sugars, dull and weak, while refined goods are lower than they have been for more than a year—A's offering at 11⅜ in the east. Molasses firm, and choice new crop New Orleans have gone up to 60@62 cts at the point of purchase—stocks, comparatively light all over the country. Syrups—firm but unchanged.

SUGARS—Refined—Standard Hards, 13⅜; A, 12⅜; B, 12⅜; Ex. C, 12⅜; C Yellow, 12⅜; Porto Rico Sugars—Choice, 11; Prime, 10⅜. Good, 10. Demarara, 11⅜@12. New Orleans—fair, 10; good, 10⅜c; prime, 11; choice, 11⅜.

COFFEE—Fancy Rio 26; Prime, 25; Good, 24. Fair, 23@23⅜; Java, 28@30. Laguayra, 25@26. Mocha, 45. Roasted Coffee, pure, 28. Lower grades, 25@6.

SYRUPS—Havemyer & Elder's, 65. White Honey, 65. Lovering's, 60. Durant's, 65. Sugar Drips, 75; Brune's, 65; other grades, 48@60. New Orleans Molasses, prime to choice new crop, 65@70.

RICE—Choice Carolina, 9⅜; Good, 8⅜; Fair, 8⅜. Rangoon, 8. Patna, 8⅜.

SPICES—Pepper, 24. Allspice, 18. Cassia, 50. Cloves, 25. Nutmegs, $1,40.

HONEY—Sales at 25@30 cts.

HOMINY—Sales at $4,50 per bbl to the trade and $5 in a jobbing way.

HAY—Continues dull, and, with continued liberal receipts and stocks accumulating, prices are weak and drooping; we continue to quote baled, on wharf and track, at $20@24 per ton, as to quality.

LARD OIL—No. 1 Extra is quoted at 85@87 and No. 2 at 63@65.

MILL FEED—Is quoted in a jobbing way at $1,20@1,25 per cwt for Bran, $1,35@1,40 for coarse corn meal, $1,50@1,55 for coarse and $1,70@1,75 for fine middlings; $1,60@1,65 for chopped corn and oats and $1,90@2,00 for oil meal.

ONIONS—There is an improved demand but prices remain unchanged, $2,50@3 per bbl, for fair to prime.

POULTRY—Dressed Chickens, 13@14 cts; dressed Turkeys, 16@18.

POTATOES—Sales, in a jobbing way, from store, at 70@75 per bushel.

PROVISIONS—Bacon Shoulders, 7 cts; sugar cured do, 8⅜; Ribbed sides, 8; Short rib, 8⅜; Clear, 9; Sugar Cured Hams, 12⅜. Mess Pork, $14@14⅜. Ham Sausage, 10⅜. Dried 15⅜. Lard: in tierces, 9⅜ for steamed, and 10 for kettle.

RAGS—Sales, 4@4⅜ cts per lb.

SALT—Is quoted at $1,85 per bbl, by the car load, and $2 in a jobbing way.

SHAKER CORN—13@14 cts per lb.

SEEDS—Clover Seed is in good supply and dull; small sales at $6,50. Timothy Seed is in light supply and steady, with small sales at $3,75@4,00. Flaxseed, scarce and in demand at $1,80.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CENTRAL YARDS, EAST LIBERTY, SATURDAY February 24, 1872.

RECEIPTS STOCK.

The receipts of stock at the Central Yards for the week ending to-day, were as follows:

	This week.	Last week.
Cattle	320 cars.	316 cars.
Hogs	129 "	158 "
Sheep	85 "	152 "
Horses	57 "	33 "
Mules	25 "	21 "
Total	616 "	680 "

CATTLE.

Since the date of our report, on the 21st, trade has been fairly active, especially for the best grades and prices were fully sustained, though not quotably higher; the offerings, as will be noticed, were small and this with rather more favorable advices from the east caused a stronger feeling, but, as already noted, taking the quality into consideration, prices were no higher than last week. There were two or three small bunches of extra Ohio steers sold at 7@7⅜ cts, but prime 1,400 to 1,500 lb steers, fat and smooth, may be fairly be quoted at 6⅜@6⅜, and there were but few good enough to bring these prices; good 1,200 to 1,300 lb steers brought from 6 to 6⅜ and 1,000 to 1,100 averages 5⅜@5⅜. While trade was fair, the market was not active; and but for the fact that the supply was a little short it is very doubtful whether last week's prices could have been realized; eastern men, particularly those from Philadelphia, came out resolved to buy lower, but in consequence of the run being a light one, they did not succeed.

To-day there were but very few, if any, cattle in the pens unsold, and this is generally regarded as a favorable omen for a good market during the coming week. The impression is gaining strength among stock dealers that prime fat cattle are not likely to depreciate any in value for some months to come, as they are reported scarce, all over the country, and some dealers think that prices for this particular grade will go higher. Common cattle are dull and are likely to continue so as the demand is restricted mainly to the best grades—eastern men generally want good cattle or none at all.

No.	Wgt.	Price.	No.	Wgt.	Price.
Sadler, H & Co. sold:					
64	83,250	6 25	19	21,350	5 62
20	19,650	5 00	20	20,610	5 50
53	61,970	5 90	55	60,820	5 60
60	65,480	5 62	54	55,910	5 00
18	19,420	5 25	17	20,160	5 25
30	38,720	6 00	2	2,400	5 00
Hazelwood & B sold:					
2	2700	6 75	9	11,920	5 25
			6 per head		$47 50
Hedges, Huff & Co. sold:					
14	13,790	4 75	14	17,950	6 00
32	39,380	6 12	2	3,170	6 50
10	11,940	5 37	6	5,880	4 00
16	21,000	6 12	16	19,200	5 62
36	39,550	5 62	18	20,360	5 00
15	17,870	5 50	15	22,250	6 00
17	20,340	5 65	2	2,770	5 87
Ulery Brothers sold:					
21	23,780	6 00	15	17,540	6 00
Orr & Williams sold:					
55	60,170	5 50	17	16,600	5 00
Holmes, L & Co:					
47	60,440	6 12	17	22,810	6 12
64	77,720	5 75	4	3,840	5 00
7	8,660	6 12	1	1,090	4 75
30	40,970	6 50	11	13,760	6 25
1	per head	$36 00	17	20,340	5 65
			20	21,270	4 70
Smith, Watson & B. sold:					
34	38,400	5 70	15	19,440	5 25
15	18,580	6 15	5	4,870	4 75

HOGS.

Notwithstanding the arrivals of hogs were 30 cars less than last week, trade has been rather slow, and prices have declined. This day week, extra selected Philadelphia hogs brought 5.90@6 cts; to-day, the same grades will not bring over 5⅜, a decline of a full half cent. York hogs are lower than they were early in the week, and we reduce our quotations to 4⅜@4⅜. As the offerings were considerably below those of last week, it is safe to conclude that there was a sharp falling off in the demand, otherwise, the decline to which we have just referred, would not have occurred. Following is a pretty full report of most of the sales since Wednesday last:

No.	Wgt.	Price.	No.	Wgt.	Price.
Sadler, H & Co. sold:					
33	10,820	4 60	55	12,500	5 00
84	13 220	4 60	54	12,140	5 25
68	13,440	4 70	152	26,830	4 65
21	4,160	4 75	47	10,630	5 25
70	14,100	4 70	40	9,080	5 20
			59	11,370	4 75
Ulery Brothers sold:					
68	6,250	4 65	6	490	5 35
14	1,510	4 65	59	5,990	4 65
154	27,750	4 50	122	21,050	4 50
Orr & Williams sold:					
108	22,150	5 40	83	22,390	5 45
67	12,100	4 90	46	11,470	4 85
12	2,290	4 95	81	24,930	5 25
79	24,840	4 60	23	3,270	4 65
93	23,860	5 55	81	16,800	4 70
67	15,290	5 25	47	9,370	4 75
22	4,580	5 00	110	14,350	4 70
Hazlewood & Blackstock sold:					
71	22,610	5 50	20	2,930	4 75
44	14,220	5 60	17	1,730	4 60
			86	24,124	5 00
Holmes, L & Co sold:					
27	3,990	4 50	29	7,450	5 00
90	14,640	4 65	60	11,990	4 65
96	9,080	5 35	5	1,120	4 70
5	1,460	4 70	8	1,740	4 60
77	12,550	4 70	31	9,000	4 65
12	8,400	4 65	68	13,080	4 65
46	10,070	4 55	68	18,110	4 75
30	7,410	5 05	36	7,860	4 60
			202	42,580	4 62
Hedges, Huff & Co. sold:					
172	19 670	4 85	21	4,970	4 50
28	3,800	4 85	38	8,270	4 75
57	12,160	4 60	72	11,370	4 75
103	19,500	4 70	46	9,720	5 00
52	8 480	5 00	45	9,090	4 70
90	23,750	5 55	80	14,620	4 80
103	19,500	4 70	97	17,590	4 50
Smith, Watson & B sold:					
13	2,080	4 75	30	6,980	5 20
107	30,150	5 50	9	2,460	4 30
			57	7,390	4 65

SHEEP.

Notwithstanding the run of Sheep this week was a light one, the market closes a little flat, under the influence of the advices from New York, though prices are fully sustained; while there is no doubt but what sheep are too high here, taking New York as a basis, yet it does not follow that there will be a decline in our market; on the contrary, we apprehend that prices will advance in New York again, as a break in the sheep market in the west this side of shearing time is almost out of the question. It is true, the butcher is unable to realize but little, if any, more for mutton, but the pelts have more than doubled in value, and are now bringing nearly as much as a whole sheep was worth at this time last year. Sales were made this week within the range of 5@8⅜ for prime to extra fine wool sheep, averaging from 100 to 125 lbs, and good 90@95 lbs. same quality, may be quoted at 7@7⅜. Scalawags, $2.25@3,25 per head.

No.	Wgt.	Price.	No.	Wgt.	Price.
Sadler H & Co sold					
101	8,680	7 55	122	10,120	7 50
Ulery Brothers sold:					
			120	9,420	7 25
Orr & Williams sold:					
175	14,850	6 40	155	scalawags	5 50
			345	28,450	6 25
Holmes, Lafferty & Co., sold:					
81	6,660	6 80	156	14,950	6 80
141	13,180	8 00	166	14,410	7 50
87	5,580	5 75	185	19,218	8 25
168	14,710	7 40	181	14,800	8 00
			150	15,370	8 00
Hazlewood & Blackstock sold:					
34	2,820	7 30	119	per head	$2 25
78	5,250	5 85	34	2,820	7 10
Smith, Watson & Briggs, sold:					
159	11,400	6 50	74	6,230	6 60
Hedges, Huff, & Co. sold:					
353	31,160	7 25	75	7,790	7 50

Wool Markets.

NEW YORK.—There is no change to note in the general tone of the market, which remains strong. There is a good demand for all grades of both Foreign and Domestic, but the views of buyers and holders are too much at variance to admit of considerable business. The supply of all descriptions is light, and being gradually exhausted, and as there is no prospect of any additional supplies of moment being received this season, holders are firm and inflexible in their views. The sales are 15,000 lbs, unwashed fleece at 47 cents; 5,000 lbs. XX Ohio, 85; 10,000 lbs. light unwashed 62⅜; 60,000 lbs. fall clip California, 39@41; 10,000 lbs. spring clip do, 45@50; 8,000 lbs. California lambs, 45; 50,000 lbs. super pulled, 75@83; 30,000 lbs. cape, 47⅜; 190 bales do, 44@47; 43 do Mestiza, 39; 20 do Turkey, 50; 9,000 lbs. Entre Rios, 32; 15,000 lbs. Texas, 90,000 lbs. fall clip California, 20,000 lbs. unwashed combings, 100 bales super and extra pulled, 60 bales South American carpet, 135 do, unwashed Cordova, and 5,000 lbs. Noils, on private terms; 200 bales Montevideo sheep skins at 35 cents, and 120 do Buenos Ayres and Creola do, on private terms.—*Shipping List.*

PHILADELPHIA.—There is less doing, but prices have an upward tendency; 160,000 lbs sold in lots, including Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia—Picklock 80@85c; X and XX 78@80c; medium and coarse 80c; unwashed coarse and medium, 55@60c; unwashed fine, 50c; washed combing and delaine, medium and coarse, 85c; do. do. do. very coarse, 82@85c; unwashed do. do. medium. 65@67⅜c; do. do. do. coarse, 6⅜@65c. Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan and Western—Washed fine, 75c; washed medium and coarse, 78c; unwashed do do, 57c; unwashed fine. 50c; unwashed dark and inferior, 50c, choice tub washed, 90c; good tub washed, 77⅜@82.—*North American.*

Receipts Pig Metal, Ore and Blooms.

CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH R. R.

	cars.		cars.
Spang, C. & Co., ore	10	Lewis, O & P metal	1
Graff, B & Co, ore	2	Rogers & B. ore	1
Lewis, B & D., ore	5	Cloman, C & Bro, ore	3
Dilworth, P & Co. or	1	McKnight & Co. o	3
Total			26

PITTSBURGH, F. W. & C. R. R.

Nimick & Co., me.	6	J. W. Porter metal	3
Hallman & H, metal	6	J Wood Sons & Co metal	6
Chess, S & Co., met	3	Rogers & B., m	2
Lower Union Mills	3	Lewis, O & P. metal	9
W Clarke & Co metal	7	Lewis, B & D. metal	1
Total			61

PITTSBURGH CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS R R.

Hallman & H. metal	6	Nimick & Co. metal	1
J W Porter, metal	1		
Total			8

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.

J Woodsides, metal	1	Byers, McC & Co. m	1
Brown & Co. metal	1		
Total			

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, SATURDAY, February 24, 1872.

Trade has been very dull all week, but it is hoped, as stagnation has prevailed all winter, that there will be a good spring and summer trade. Crude is weak and very dull; Parker, $3,52 on spot; $3,47⅜ seller March, and $3,45 seller to July. There were some sales during the week of buyer's option until July at $4,00, and, if we do not mistake, buyers are still in the field at this figure. Refined is reported steady, with considerable inquiry; spot or February, 21⅜; March, 22⅜; April, 23; May and June, 24.

The "South Improvement Company" is causing considerable discussion in oil circles, and, notwithstanding there has been a good deal of inquiry made in regard to the matter, as yet but little seems to be known definitely about it. It is rumored that a number of Cleveland refiners have or are about to dispose of their works to this company, or "ring" as it is termed, but we cannot vouch for the correctness of these reports and give them for what they are worth.

Receipts Crude this week, 26,549 bbls; last week, 18,463; January 1st to date, 148,947. same time last year, 83,950. Exports refined this week, 11,124; last week, 9,616; January 1st to date, 85,584; same time last year, 66,453.

CRUDE OIL RECEIVED BY A.V. R. R.

Vesta O W account H McKelvy	80
Crystal O W account J Bushnell	160
National O W, account J Bushnell	296
Standard O W account B S Duncan	684
National O W, account L P Tack	464
Cochran Landing, account L P Tack	468
Peerless O W, account B S Duncan	75
Standard O W, account T P Miller	394
H W C Tweddle, account J Clark	154
Sterling O W, account Fisher & H	455
Riverside O W, account Leut & P	80
Total	3,210

OIL SHIPPED EAST PER A. V. R. R. & W. P. R. R. February 23.

Livingston Bros, 150 bbls refined oil to Warden, Frew & Co., Phila.

Standard Oil Co. 359 bbls ref oil to Warden F & Co., Phila.

National Oil., 517 bbls refined oil to Warden, Frew & Co., Philadelphia.

Lockhart, Frew & Co., 414 bbls refined oil to Warden, Frew & Co., Philadelphia.

Wormser, Myers & Co. 202 bbls ref. oil to Logan Bros & Co, Phila.

Fawcett, L & S, 260 bbls ref oil to Logan, Bros & Co., Phila.

Wm. McKelvy & Co. 523 bbls refined oil to Logan, Bro & Co., Philadelphia.

D Bly & Co. 52 bbls refined oil to Logan, Bro & Co. Phila.

D Bly & Co. 106 bbls ref oil to Waring, K & Co., Phila.

John Spear & Co., 55 bbls refined oil to Waring, K & Co., Philadelphia.

Lockhart, F & Co. 52 bbls ref oil to Wood, Morrell & Co., Johnstown, Pa.

Total ... 2,687 bbls

Iron Markets.

NEW YORK.—The market for Scotch Pig remains rather quiet, the demand being confined to such parcels as are required to supply the immediate wants of the trade; but the supply is moderate, and full rates are maintained. Sales have been made of 800 tons Langloan, in lots, on private terms, the market closing at $39@40 for Eglinton, $40@41 for Langloan, $41@42 for Glengarnock, and $43 for Coltness. There is very little American obtainable, and, as the demand is quite active, prices are firm at the advance noted in our last; 1,500 tons No. 2 Glendon sold at $39 50, at works, which leaves the market bare of this description. We quote No. 1, $42@43; No. 2, $40@41, and Forge, $39@40. Of Wrought Scrap, we note sales of 500 tons, to arrive, at $49. New Rails continue in good request, and are steady at quoted rates; 6,500 tons, 56 lb., English sold, to arrive, on private terms. Bar, &c., from store, continues strong at the recent advance, with a fair demand.—*Shipping List.*

PHILADELPHIA.—Pig Iron continues in demand at the advance. Sales of No. 1 foundry at $40@41; No. 2 at $38@39, and forge, at the furnace, at $36. Bar iron sells at $89,50. Nails sell at $4,75 per keg.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Foreign Markets.

LONDON, February 24.—Consols 92⅜; American securities steady; 5-20s '62 91⅜; 5-20s '65 92, 5-20s '67 92; 5-20s '68 88⅜.

PARIS, February 24.—Rentes 56 francs 46 centimes.

LIVERPOOL, February 24.—Cotton dull; middling upland 11⅜d. Breadstuffs quiet; red winter wheat 11s 9d. Flour 26@27s. Corn 28s 9d@29s. Cheese 7ss.

New York.

NEW YORK, February 24.—Cotton lower; sales of 2,000 bales middling upland at 22⅜c. Flour; superfine western and State $6,10@6,50; common to good $6,70@7,00; good to choice $7,05@7,60; white wheat western $7,60@7,85. Rye flour and corn meal unchanged. Whisky firmer at 91⅜@91⅜c. Wheat steady; No. 2 spring in store at $1,56; No. 1 spring $1,60@1,61; winter red western $1,69@1,70; amber $1,73@1,75; prime white western $1,80. Rye, barley and malt unchanged. Corn dull but unchanged; new western mixed steady at 70⅜c. Oats dull; western in store and afloat 51⅜@53c; white Ohio 54@55⅜c. Eggs scarce and firmer at 35@38c. Hops quiet; in store 25@65c; eastern and western 25@50; yearlings 10@30c; foreign 60@80c. Leather less active and steady; hemlock sole, Buenos Ayers and Rio Grande 27@29c; Orinoco 25⅜@27c. Wool quiet and very firm; unwashed 47@62⅜c; pulled 80c; fall clip California 37@40c. Coffee nominal. Sugar: fair to good refining 9@9⅜c; Cuba 9⅜@9⅜c. Molasses steady; New Orleans 50@65c. Rice quiet at 8@8⅜c. Crude petroleum 12@12⅜c; refined 22@22⅜c. Turpentine held firmly at 86c. Pork and beef unchanged. Dressed hogs quiet and steady at $5,87. Middles steady. Lard quiet and steady; No 1 to prime steam 9⅜@9⅜c; kettle 9⅜c. Butter quiet at 11@22c. Cheese firm at 11@17c. *Metals*.—Manufactured copper steady; ingot lake active; 28⅜@28⅜c. Iron: Scotch pig quiet at $37,00@42,00; United States pig in good request at $40@44; bar: refined England and American firm at $86; sheet more active at 15⅜c gold. Nails steady; cut $5; clinch $6,50@7,00; horse shoe 19@33c.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, February 24.—Market quiet and strong. The most important changes to observe is an advance in Pequot 9-4 brown sheetings to 45c, and 10-4 ditto to 50c in bleached. The Pequot 8-4 have advanced to 45c, 9-4 ditto to 50c, 10-4 to 55c; Cohasset 9-4 bleached are up to 47⅜c, and 10-4 brown to the same figure, being an advance of 2⅜c on the several brands. Telegraphic advices from Philadelphia report an advance in the price of "Star" braid to 90c, and the prospect is that all leading makes will be advanced to this price on Monday.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, February 24.—Flour firm, and on winter extra holders are asking 25c higher. Wheat active on speculative account, and prices firm and steady; No. 2 spring $1,25⅜@1,26; No. 3 $1,18; seller March $1,25⅜. Corn firm; No. 2 mixed 39⅜c; seller March 39⅜c. Oats dull; No. 2 32@32⅜c. Rye dull but unchanged; No. 2 74@74⅜c for fresh and 73⅜@74c for regular. Barley dull; No. 2 fall 59c for regular and 60c for fresh. Mess pork dull and lower. The bulk of business done was in making March settlements. Bidders, seller March, $12,45. Lard quiet and unchanged, 8⅜; seller March, $8 90; closed weak. Meats unchanged. Hogs quiet and weak; range $4 15@5 55; dressed, in good demand, $5,05@5,10. Bulk meats firm, owing to light receipts. Whisky firm; sales at 86c.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, February 24.—Bagging unchanged; round lots heavy; hemp and flax 15@16c. Cotton dull; middling 22c. Flour firm and in good demand; extra family advanced. Wheat firmer owing to light supply; sales of red and white from store at $1,60@1,75. Corn firm; shelled sacked 51c. Oats in fair demand and steady; prime sacked 50c. Rye firm; prime in store 90c. Provisions firm and demand steady. Mess pork $13,25 on order. Bacon shoulders 6⅜c; sides clear rib 7⅜c; do clear 8c. Packed bulk meats ⅜c less than bacon. Hams; sugar cured 12⅜c; plain 12c, packed. Lard steady at 9⅜@10c. Whisky dull at 86c.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, February 24.—Cotton dull and drooping; middling 22⅜c. Flour firm; family $6,50@6,75. Wheat scarce and firm at $1,60@1,63. Corn firm at 47c. Rye steady at 90@93c. Oats quiet. Barley unchanged. Groceries and oils unchanged. Eggs firm at 21@22c. Butter firm at 20@25c. Cheese 16@16⅜c. Provisions dull and unchanged. Pork $13@13.25. Lard 9@9⅜c. Bulk meats 4⅜@6⅜@6⅜c. Bacon 5⅜@7⅜c asked; no sales. Hogs dull and lower at $4,50@4,85; receipts 1,100.

Cotton Markets.

MOBILE, February 24.—Cotton dull; middlings 21⅜c; net receipts 631 bales; gross 6443 exports: Liverpool 3,473; coastwise 940; sales 300; stock 60,612.

CHARLESTON, February 24.—Cotton dull; middlings 22c; net receipts 920 bales; exports: Great Britain 2,096; coastwise 332; sales 400; stock 22 066.

GALVESTON, February 24.—Cotton quiet and weak; good ordinary 20c; net receipts 583 bales; exports: coastwise 1,067; sales 500; stock 46 954.

SAVANNAH, February 24.—Cotton: no demand; buyers and sellers apart; no quotations; net receipts 1,892; exports: coastwise 1,151; sales 150; stock 66,760.

NASHVILLE, February 24.—Cotton dull; low middling 21c.

MEMPHIS, February 24.—Cotton: full prices asked but no demand; nominally at 22c.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, February 24.—Flour: market nearly bare; buyers awaiting receipts. Corn firmer; mixed 71; white 74@75c. Oats scarce at 59c. No bran. Hay firmer at $32; choice $34. Pork: none here: to arrive quoted at $15,50@16. Bacon 6⅜@8⅜c. Cotton easier; sales 5,000 bales good ordinary 11⅜c; low middlings 21⅜c; middlings 22⅜c; receipts 4,475; exports to Liverpool 3,359; to the continent 2,929; to New York 1,361; stock 230,680.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, February 24.—Flour advanced; Indiana and Ohio $7,25@8,00. Wheat firm; red western $1,60@1,62; amber $1,65; white $1,75@1,94. Rye and barley unchanged. Corn heavy; yellow 67@68c; mixed western 67c. Oats dull; white 54⅜@55⅜c; mixed 53c. Provisions unchanged. Seeds dull; Timothy $9,00@9,50; flax $3,62.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, February 24.—Flour firm; double extra $5,75@6,50. Wheat firm; No 1 $1,28⅜; No 2 $1,25⅜. Oats steady; No 2 32c. Corn firm; No 2 mixed 39⅜c. Rye steady; No 1 74c. Barley dull and nominal; fall No 2 60⅜c. Hogs dull and a shade lower at $4,10@4,30. Mess pork dull and nominal at $12,25.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, February 24.—Flour firm. Wheat a shade better: amber Michigan $1,55⅜; No. 2 red $1,51. Corn dull and a shade lower; low mixed 46c. Oats dull; No. 1 62c. Clover seed steady; Ohio $5,25. Hogs firm at $5,25.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, February 24.—Wheat dull; No 1 red winter $1.51. Corn quiet at 52c. Oats dull and steady at 42c. Refined petroleum steady at 21@21⅜c in car lots; 22@23c in small lots; crude nominal.

Detroit.

DETROIT, February 24.—Wheat dull and a shade lower; extra $1,62⅜; amber $1,51. Corn dull and lower; mixed 49⅜@50c. Oats dull and declined; State 40c. Clover seed firmer at $5,65@5,75.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, February 24.—Tobacco active; sales 300 hhds common to good lugs at 6⅜@7⅜c; low to good leaf 8 to 20c.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD COMPANY, February 24.—1 car clay, Hussey & Co; 25 cases matches, 150 hf bbls fish, Johnston & Co; 100 hf bbls do, Dilworth Bros; 1 car oats, 80 bbls flour, J & W Fairley; 1 car barley, Spencer & McKay; 1 car hay, John Rose; 68 sks rags, McCullough & Smith; 6 bdls rockers, T B Young; 2 bbls eggs, 1 do apples, J B Holley; 10 kegs oat meal, J E Strickler; 2 kgs p barley, 2 do cr wheat, 6 do oat meal, Dunlevy & Bro; 19 bbls flour, Watt, Lang & Co; lot butter, J J Pettitt & Co; 30 sks clover seed, W Welsh & Co; 12 tubs butter, 11 bbls b flour, 10 do beans, Voigt, Mahood & Co; 24 caddis tobacco, S H Baird; 2 casks molasses, J S Dilworth & Co; lot butter and eggs, Woodworth & Dewhurst; 2 cars oil bbls, C A Wormcastle; 42 bbls apples, 2 cars corn, P Duff & Son; 48 sks oats, W H Nantker & Son; 45 bbls molasses, J Flynn; 10 sks d apples, 1 bbl eggs, W H Graff & Co; lot produce, James O'Brien; 7 kgs butter, 1 bbl eggs, Armstrong & J; 1 car metal, Hallman & Hammett; 38 bbls apples, A H Cain; 35 sks ear corn, 98 sks oats, 1 car shelled corn, McBane & Anjer; 2 bxs mdse, Wm Sumner & Co; 20 hf bbls fish, Seghmyer & Voskamp; 3 bbls eggs, S B Floyd & Co; 3 cars iron ore, McKnight & Co; 3 do do. Kloman, C & Bro 1 do do, Dilworth, P & Co; 3 do apples, H Stoseil; 4 casks cheese, 1 do onions, J A Graff; 40 bbls starch, T C Jenkins & Bro; 2 cars lumber, J L Brown; 1 do do, Dunbar & Co; 1 do do, G A Mundorff; 10 casks p ash, Bakewell, P & Co; 50 bdls c rolls, 28 do slats, J H Phillips; 31 bdls handles, Logan, G & Co.

ALLEGHENY STATION, February 24.—1 car wheat, Gilmore & Co; 1 car oats, 3 cars hay, I Hippley; 2 cars ear corn, Johnston & McFarland; 1 car oats, M Steel & Son; 10 bbls oil, W H Brill; 8 do do, S M Hebron; 156 sks clover seed, 1 car hay, Spear & Glenn; 1 car cooperage, Ralya & R; 2 do do, J M Hemphill; 25 bbls h wines, J H Hespenheide; 5 rolls leather, Lappe & Weise; 2 bbls eggs, R Carson; 35 hides Lappe & Weise; 1 car millfeed, R Knox & Sons 25 bbls and 100 sks flour, Geo McConnell; 1 car lumber, Alston & Son; 2 cars hay, M Weil & Co; 3 cars oil bbls, Ralya & R; 3 cars lumber, McKirdy & McGinnis; 1 car ear corn, Adams & Knox; 1 do do, M Steel & Son; 164 bales cotton, Eagle Cotton Mills; 60 pkgs, D W Huntsman; 1 car hay, Geo Stewart; 24 c tops, John Dyer; 26 bbls apples, John Herbert; 1 car lumber, Dunham, Saint & Co.

PITTSBURGH FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD COMPANY, February 24.—100 bbls flour, 50 hf do fish, T C Jenkins; 165 sks rye, W J Meek; 4 casks shoulders, 141 cases lard, E H Myers & Co; 300 bbls flour, Danl Wallace; 1 car hams, R Owens; 300 bbls flour, Schomaker & Co; 686 slabs speltre, Byers, McC & Co; 50 bbls h wines, Shipton & Wallace; 20 bxs butter, 14 do cheese, 10 bbls flour, 3 do eggs, 20 do apples Lob, Son & Co; 3 bbls butter, S P Shriver; 1 car shingles, J O & R Benedict; 1 car oats, R H Conway; 30 bxs cheese, Watt, L & Co; 12 cook stoves, Knobbs & McKee; 18 bbls apples, H J McCrackes; 10 kgs a butter, Henry Rea Jr; 120 pcs wagon stuff, Hare & Bro; 30 bbls apples, Houck, J & Co; 20 pkgs butter, 1 car apples, Voigt & H; 111 bbls apples, 30 pkgs produce, A M Esleman; 95 bdls paper, Frazier, M & Co; 102 bdls shovels, Myer & A; 1 car bbls, J S Finch; 126 g hides, J Hammett & Son; 5 bbls whisky, A Guckenheimer; 257 springs, Coleman, R & Co; 10 bbls oil, Howard Bro; 5 do do, W Wilson; 15 bbls nuts and bolts, Jos Woodwell; 92 bdls steel, Miller, B & B; 53 bales moss, E Edmundson & Son; 1 car clay, H Hauchmaster; 4 do lumber, Douglass & McQ; 100 bbls flour, Watt, L & Co.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD, February 24.—13 bbls clay, Duff & Campbell; 104 s hides, J Callery; 10 bdls hoes, 78 do snathes, Logan, G & Co; 5 doz riddles, J P Dean; 2 bxs h ware, J P Springer & Co; 1 bx baskets, Mrs J Hamilton; 1 do do, H Schutt; 1 car barley, P Duff & Son; 174 sks oats, H J McCracken; 1 car oats, Schnelbach & H; 300 sks do, Dorrington Bro; 205 do do, H Riddle, Son & Co; 18 tabs butter, 2 kgs a butter, 1 bbl tallow, 1 bx do, W H Graff & Co; 1 car corn, Wm Welsh & Co; 1 bx butter, M W Rankin & Bro; 10 bbls peas, J J Pettitt & Co; 43 sks wheat, Gilmore & Co; 22 bdls snathes, 13 do hoes, 6 do handles, 20 do rakes, England & Bro; 5 do hoes 2 do snathes, Scobia, R & S; 1 car hay, O H Allerton; 58 bbs b powder, 2f do starch, Reymer Bro; 7 doz hames, McWhinny & Co; 4 bbls butter, 1 kg do. Voigt, M & Co; 12 bxs mdse, G A Kelly.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD, February 24.—1 bx poultry, 1 sk rags, L J Blanchard; 73 cars coal, S M Kier; 1 bx mdse, L Eastine; 35 cars coal, Armstrong, D & Co; 10 bxs cheese, T Dilton; 50 bbls ref oil, Lockhart, F & Co; 1 sk peaches, 1 bx butter, 1 kg lard, J A Williams; 17 sks cattle tails, 3 bdls do, C Hostetter; 1 car wheat, Marshall, K & Co; 1 do metal, H Woodsides; 1 do do, Brown & Co; 1 do do, Byers, McC & Co; 8 sks flour, P Zunker; 1 car clay, Star Fire Brick Co; 9 cars limestone, Shoenberger, B & Co, 10 crates starch, Porterfield & Co; 24 do do, J E Strickler; 100 do do, Dilworth Bros; 3 cases oilcloth, O McClintock & Co.

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

MARIETTA PER STEAMER CARRIE BROOKS.—5 bbls eggs, J Kaiser; 444 chairs, Charles Fairman; 150 do, 6 tables, N Whiting & Co; 4 bbls eggs, 4 pkgs butter, Lob, Son & Co; 15 chairs, Gans & L; 37 do do, John Kenowith; 96 do do, Pgh C & St L R R Co; 140 do do, Lemon & W; 26 chairs, 4 tables, 4 lounges, C Wetzell; 24 chairs, John Dillon; 48 do, Dauler & Son; 1 pkg butter, Henry Rea Jr; 106 packing bbls, Lewis, Oliver & Phillips; 24 bbls apples, Van Gorder & Shepard; 60 bgs corn, 3 bbls apples, H Darlington; 10 bbls eggs, J Langdon; 3 bbls eggs, 27 bbls d apples, Voigt, Mahood & Co; 17 hhds tobacco, Clarke & Co; 3,250 bdls staves, B D Moore; 668 oil bbls, C A Wormcastle; 12 bbls d apples, 21 bbls eggs, 21 pkgs butter, 4 do lard, 1 do flaxseed, 1 do d peaches, 2 do apple butter, P Duff & Son; 40 bxs cigars, 492 hickory brooms, 1 bx fur, J D Thompson; 12 pkgs produce, E Koenig; 7 rolls leather, W Flaccus & Son; 4 pkgs butter, Marshall & Campbell; 18 pcs furniture, W Patterson; 139 sks wheat, W Welsh & Co; 133 do barley, Fred Shields.

WHEELING PER ARGOSY.—39 bales hay, J & W Fairley; 74 sks ear corn, Courtney, Gardiner & Co; 15 bbls whisky, M F Herron & Co 151 sks wheat, Marshall, Kennedy & Co; 36 bales hay, J Hamilton; 50 bbls potatoes, H H Arold.

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River Intelligence.

The river remains about stationary at this point with 4 feet 3 inches in the channel. Weather has again turned cold; thermometer at 5 p. m., 32, against 60 at same time on Saturday; wind northwest.

The Argosy from Wheeling arrived yesterday, and the towboats Tigress and Boaz are due.

The Stella is being towed up by the Park, Painter and Traveller—upon her arrival she will at once be placed on the docks.

The hull for Capt. S. B. Coulson's new mountain boat, arrived on Saturday night from the boat yard.

The Kate Putnam, Capt. Sam Shuman, is announced for St. Louis forthwith.

The West Virginia will resume her place in the Monongahela river trade within the next day or two.

The St. Charles left Cincinnati for this port on Friday.

Mr. Henry Haney pilot on the Carrie Brooks reports that all the gorges between here and Marietta, had moved except at "Line Island," and it cannot possibly hold out much longer.

The Messenger, Capt. Geo. W. Reed, will probably depart for Nashville to-morrow.

The Stella, has been successfully raised and is en route for the dock here—she is being towed up by a couple of towboats, one on each side.

The Carrie Brooks, from Marietta, arrived on Saturday afternoon with a good freight list. She departed again the same night.

The Wild Cat, James Gilmore and Sam. Brown arrived on Saturday, and the Blue Lodge, Sam. Clark, Tigress and Tiger were expected to arrive yesterday.

—The following is the report of the St. Louis *Times* about the suit brought against the Richmond in the United States District Court at New Orleans: Mrs. Sarah E. Shirley, of Louisville; Richard F. Fuller, and Mrs. America B. Shelby, aided and authorized by her husband, Nathaniel E. Shelby, all of the latter of New Orleans, owners of the steamboat Sabine, have entered suit in this court against the steamboat Richmond for $43,800, $37,500 of which is for the value of the Sabine, and the remaining $6,300 for the loss of stores and freight money.

The petition alleges that the steamboat Sabine was run into and sunk by the Richmond, and is a total loss, and that the collision was occasioned by negligence or inefficiency of those in charge of the Richmond.

—It seems to be generally conceded that the Indian supply contract has been awarded to Durfee, Peck & Co. The St. Louis *Democrat*, in referring to the matter, says: Durfee & Peck, of Leavenworth, seemingly the successful parties, had, it is asserted, seven bids in over different parties' names—S. B. Coulson, Grant Marsh, &c. They own a number of suitable steamers, and are perfectly conversant with the details of the service. It has been widely supposed that Messrs. H. K. Hazlett and W. J. Kountz were the lowest bidders. They also tendered several bids with the aid and consent of other parties. Hazlett & Kountz own a large number of boats which are suited for the navigation of the Upper Missouri and the transportation of freight and troops. Several of their boats will run in the Missouri, even if it proves true that they were not the successful bidders for the government contract.

—We learn from New Orleans that the case of Bussey & Co. vs. the M. V. T. Company of St. Louis, appealed by the latter to the Supreme Court, has been finally decided in favor of the complainant, because "the attempt to land a barge of the towboat Bee was made without skill, and that it might have been effected with entire safety." The value of the property lost, less the freight and charges and a small amount realized from the wreck, to be $13,268 50. There are also costs of lower court and costs of the appeal.

—The Memphis *Avalanche*, of Wednesday, says: The St. Louis Packet Company were, yesterday, mulcted in the sum of $5,000 before the Circuit Court of this county, for having accused Fred Bretzuan of stealing goods from the City of Vicksburg, and for having him imprisoned therefor. While Fred was in jail he contracted a permanent disease, and thinking he had been improperly treated he sued for $25,000 damages. The jury was three days in arriving at a conclusion.

—Capt. Hambleton has returned to Mound City from St. Louis with a contract to build a steamboat for Capt. La Barge. The boat is to be 180 feet long, 35 feet beam, and 5⅜ feet hold. Capt. H. also bought the Mary E. Forsyth, now in distress at Cairo, having been forced upon the bank by ice. The probability is that he will be able to save her, and will make a fine speculation out of her. The new boat Capt. Hambleton is building will be very similar in model and construction throughout to the Emile La Barge, built by him a few years since.

—It is reported that the C. P. Huntington will run from Gallipolis to Huntington, and that the Mountain Belle will carry the mail from Gallipolis to Ironton.

—The Mollie Ebert will remain at Portland until there is sufficient water to ascend the falls and proceed to Pittsburgh.

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CINCINNATI EXPRESS, leaving Pittsburgh at 12:50 P. M., arrives at Harrisburg 10:25 P. M.; Philadelphia, 3:05 A. M.; Baltimore, 2:30 A. M.; Washington, 5:20 A. M.

PHILADELPHIA EXPRESS, leaving Pittsburgh at 5:30 P. M., arrives Harrisburg 2:30 A. M.; Philadelphia 6:49 A. M.

FAST LINE, leaving Pittsburgh at 7:20 P. M., arrives Harrisburg 3:55 A. M.; Philadelphia 8:05 A. M.; Baltimore, 7:20 A. M.; Washington, 10:00 A. M.

The Church Trains leave Wall's Station every Sunday at 9:15 A. M., reaching Pittsburgh at 10:05 A. M. Returning, leave Pittsburgh at 12:30 P. M., and arrive at Wall's Station at 2:05 P. M.

For further information, apply to W. B. STOKEY, Agent Union Depot, Pittsburgh. A. J. CASSATT, no15 General Superintendent, Altoona, Pa.

PITTSBURGH, WASHINGTON, BALTIMORE R.R. CONNELLSVILLE ROUTE.—On and after Monday, November 20, 1871, trains will arrive and depart from Depot, corner Grant and Water streets, Pittsburgh, as follows: (City Time.)

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Baltimore Ex	6:30 am	1st McKeesport Ac.	6:40 am
Camb'd Mail	6:50 am	2d McKeesport Ac.	7:40 am
1st McKeesport Ac.	11:00 am	West Newton Accom'n.	8:35 am
Mixed Way	1:00 pm	Uniontown Accom'n.	9:50 am
Uniontown Accom'n	3:10 pm	Pittsb'g Ex.	11:00 am
West Newton	4:10 pm	3d McKeesport Accom'n.	2:10 pm
2d McKeesport Ac.	6:25 pm	Camb'd Mail	6:10 pm
3d McKeesport Ac.	11:00 pm	Mixed Way	7:30 pm
West Newton Ch'h train	*12:50 pm	West Newton Ch'h train	*10:05 am

*Sunday only. Baltimore Express departs and Pittsburgh Express arrives daily, all other trains daily except Sunday. The Baltimore Express and Pittsburgh Express, Mail and Uniontown Accommodation east and west will connect at Broad Ford and Connellsville with trains to Mt. Pleasant and Uniontown.

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PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY. CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAILROAD. From Nov. 12th, 1871, Trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	1:58 A.M.	Pacific Ex.	2:23 A.M.
Cl. & Wh'g M'l	6:43 "	Wheeling Ex.	11:53 "
Erie & Yo. Ex.	7:13 "	Chicago Ex.	12:43 P.M.
Chicago Mail	7:23 "	Ch. & St. L. Ex.	4:33 "
Pacific Ex.	9:43 "	Cleveland Ex.	4:13 "
Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	2:23 P.M.	Erie & Yo. Ex.	6:13 "
Chicago Ex.	3:43 "	Chicago Mail	8:53 "
Wellsv'le Ex.	4:38 "	Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	6:53 "
Erie Express.	4:48 "	Erie Ex.	11:18 "
DEPART FROM ALLEG'Y.		ARRIVE IN ALLEGHENY.	
Beaver F. Ac.	8:38 A.M.	Leetsdale Ac.	6:53 A.M.
Leetsdale Ac.	10:23 "	Beaver F. Ac.	8:08 "
Leetsdale Ac.	11:53 "	Enon Accom.	8:58 "
N. Castle Ac.	1:33 P.M.	N. Castle Ac.	10:23 "
Enon Accom.	3:58 "	Leetsdale Ac.	12:53 P.M.
Leetsdale Ac.	5:28 "	Beaver F. Ac.	2:23 "
Beaver F. Ac.	6:23 "	Leetsdale Ac.	4:53 "
Leetsdale Ac.	10:43 "	Leetsdale Ac.	7:23 "
Fair Oaks Sunday Ch.	12:43 "	Fair Oaks Sunday Ch.	9:58 A.M.

Chicago Express leaves daily. Chicago Express arrives daily.

Fast Line leaves daily, Mondays excepted. Pacific Express arrives daily, Mondays excepted. All other trains will leave and arrive daily, Sundays excepted.

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ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD. NEW LINE TO BUFFALO THROUGH THE OIL REGIONS.

On and after MONDAY, November 20th, 1871, 3 THROUGH TRAINS daily (except Sunday) will leave and arrive at Pittsburgh, city time, for Franklin, Oil City, Buffalo, and all points in the Oil Regions.

	Leaves.	Arrives.
Day Express	7:40 a m	6:45 p m
Night Express	8:10 p m	6:30 a m
Mail	11:10 a m	5:20 p m
First Hulton Accomm'n	6:55 a m	6:45 a m
Brady's Bend Accomm'n	3:20 p m	10:30 a m
Freeport Accommod'n	9:56 a m	2:00 p m
Soda Works Accommd'n	6:00 p m	8:15 a m
Second Hulton Accomm'n	4:35 p m	8:55 a m
Third Hulton Accom'n	10:50 p m	7:15 a m
Special Sunday Train for Parker	7:40 a m	8:45 p m

Church train to and from Soda Works (Sunday) arrives at Pittsburgh 9:30 a. m. and leaves at 12:50 p m.

Express trains stop only at principal points. Accommodation trains stop at all stations.

A Special Sunday train leaves Pittsburgh every Sunday at 7:40 A. M., arriving at Parker at 11:31 A. M. Returning, leaves Parker at 5:00 P. M. and arrives at Pittsburgh at 8 45 P. M.

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WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD. On and after MONDAY, Nov. 13th, 1871 the Passenger trains on the Western Pennsylvania Railroad will leave from and arrive at the Federal street Depot, Allegheny City, as follows, (Allegheny time):

Sprigd'le No 1	6:35 am	Mail	6:50 am
Freeport No 1	8:30 am	Freeport No 1	9:30 am
Express	10:30 am	Claremont Ac	11:20 am
Claremont Ac	1:18 pm	Sprig'd'le No 1	3:45 pm
Freeport No 2	3:35 pm	Express	3:55 pm
Mail	5:40 pm	Freeport No 2	4:40 pm
Sprigd'le No 2	5:40 pm	Sprig'd'le No 2	6:25 pm

The above Trains run daily except Sunday. The Church Train leaves Freeport every Sunday at 10 A. M., reaching Allegheny City at 12:10 P. M. Returning, leaves Allegheny City at 12:50 P. M., and arrives at Freeport at 2:56 P. M.

The 6:50 A. M. train and 3:35 P. M. train from Allegheny City make direct connection for Butler. For further information apply to JAMES LAFFERTS, Agent, Federal Street Depot.

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PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY, Pan-Handle Route. After December 3d, 1871, Trains leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh Time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	1:58 A.M.	Southern Ex.	2:33 A.M.
ColumbusMail	7:28 "	McDonald Ac.	7:13 "
Wash. Ac.	9:08 "	Wash. Ac.	8:43 "
Pacific Ex.	9:43 "	Steub'v'e Ac.	10:08 "
McDonald Ac.	11:38 "	Cincinnati Ex.	12:13 P.M.
Southern Ex.	3:13 P.M.	McDonald Ac.	4:13 "
Steubenv'e Ac.	3:38 "	ColumbusM'l	5:33 "
McDonald Ac.	5:58 "	Fast Line	6:58 "
Sunday Ch. Train	12:58 "	Sunday Ch. Train	9:58 A.M.

3:13 p.m. Southern Express will leave daily. 12:13 p.m. Cincinnati Express will arrive daily. All other Trains will run daily, except Sundays.

Trains on Chartiers Railroad will leave Mansfield on the arrival of Washington Accommodation, leaving Pittsburgh at 9:08 a.m., and Steubenville Accommodation leaving Pittsburgh at 3:38 p.m., returning will connect at Mansfield with Washington Accommodation due in Pittsburgh at 8:43 a.m., and Mail Train due in Pittsburgh at 5:48 p.m.

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HOME NEWS.

Incendiarism.—We learn that shortly after the fire on Webster avenue last evening, reported elsewhere, an incendiary attempt was made on the stable attached to the River Shannon House, corner of Webster avenue and Tunnel street. This discovery leads to the belief that the burning of McKee's shop was the work of an incendiary. This suspicion is strengthened by the fact that there had been no fire left in the shop last Saturday.

Bad Mutton.

Saturday afternoon Mr. J. F. Beilstine, a member of Allegheny Councils, detected a lot of putrid mutton which had been taken to the market house and exposed for sale by one George Leppert. The attention of Market Constable Stewart was called to the matter, and that officer hauled the mutton to the river where he deposited it.

"Equalization" in the Seventeenth Ward.

A meeting of citizens was held in the Seventeenth ward Saturday night to take action in reference to the McCarthy bill, for the equalization of assessments. The meeting was largely attended and the proceedings consisted of the passage of a series of resolutions endorsing the measure. A spirited passage of words occurred between a former Councilman and a present holder of official position which brought the deliberations to a somewhat abrupt termination.

Fatal Accident at Wellsville.

Harper Russell, an employe of the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad Company, was almost instantly killed at Wellsville, Ohio, on Friday. The unfortunate man had turned a switch for the purpose of shifting some freight cars on a siding, and was in the act of jumping on one of the passing cars when one foot caught between the two rails of the switch. He was holding to the car with his hands, having placed one of his feet on the brake timber, and endeavored to dislodge the other foot from its fastening. In this, however, he was unsuccessful, and the limb was literally torn from the body. Death resulted in a few moments after the occurrence of the accident.

Fire Last Evening.

About seven o'clock last evening a frame carpenter shop on Webster avenue, near Washington street was discovered in flames. An alarm communicated from box 35, brought out the steamers of that district, and their timely arrival no doubt saved much valuable property from destruction, as the burning building adjoined a fine two story brick dwelling, which had taken fire before the steamers had commenced to throw water. The shop, a small one story frame, was entirely destroyed, together with a small amount of dressed lumber. The loss will not exceed one hundred dollars. The shop belonged to Mr. Wm. McLaughlin, and was occupied by Mr. John McKee. No insurance.

The Ninth Ward Aldermanship.

"Benton" still holds his title and office and is Alderman Kerr to-day as heretofore. A decision was given in the case on Saturday morning by Judge Sterrett, in the Court of Common Pleas. It will be remembered that a number of citizens appealed to the Court to deprive "Benton" of his magisterial dignity and emoluments for the reason that he resided in McClure township, yet had a commission as Alderman in the Ninth ward, Allegheny. The Alderman raised the question that he was not necessarily required to be a resident of the district in which he held office, being in that respect specially privileged over other officials, as he was not a ward but county officer. The case was argued about two weeks ago, and a decision reserved.

In deciding on Saturday, the Court held that the view taken by the defendant was correct—that he was a county officer and as such not required to reside in the district in which he was elected to preside.

Disobeying Orders.

It is commendable in an officer to strictly carry out the instructions of his superiors. Cupples, the presiding genius at the Central Station House, according to his statement, had orders from the Mayor to admit nobody to that sweet-scented place during Friday night and Saturday morning. Reporters, in their frantic endeavors to "learn the particulars" were gruffly informed that they "could'nt come in." In this, if the Captain received any such order, he was performing his duty. But Saturday morning, when a reporter applied for admission to the lock-up the Captain said his orders were to admit none but officers. The reporter gazed longingly into the forbidden precincts of the prison, and there discovered, prominent among the officers, a beardless youth, who certainly had no business there, and who, we feel quite certain was not there by the Mayor's consent as he takes a fatherly interest in the young man's welfare, and would not be pleased at the action of Cupples in admitting him to that place just at a time when it was fairly swarming with "street walkers." Did Cupples disobey orders? If so he should be reprimanded.

Y. M. C. A.

The regular monthly business meeting of this Association was held in their rooms on Saturday evening as announced. The attendance was quite large, but not as many ladies present as usual. Mr. H. K. Porter, President, occupied the chair, and opened the meeting by announcing the hymn, "Soldier of Christ arise," which was sung by all present, Prof. Wm. Johnson presiding at the organ. Prayer was then offered and the audience again united in singing. The action of the Board of Directors in regard to Mr. T. K. Cree's resignation was stated and the resolutions adopted on its acceptance was read. After this the reports of the standing committees were given, all of which were encouraging and show that the Association is doing a great deal of good. In the report of the lecture committee we noticed the names of the following gentlemen who are to lecture under the auspices of ... T. Beatty, Dr. James King, Dr. R. S. Sutton, Wm. Bakewell and Prof. J. R. Newell. The committee on music also reported that two or three free concerts would be given before long in the rooms. Mr. Johnston gave a very interesting account of the meetings recently held throughout the State by Rev. S. A. Taggart and himself. Many touching incidents were related, showing the good accomplished by these meetings. The audience then sung "Work, for the night is coming," and Mr. Johnson sang "One more day's works for Jesus." There was a short address by Rev. G. G. Westfall of the First Methodist Church, Allegheny, on "Christianity not opposed to reason," which was listened to attentively. After the announcement of the Sabbath School Convention, to be held in the First Presbyterian church, commencing to-morrow, the meeting adjourned with singing the doxology.

Prison Statistics.

Our thanks are returned to Warden E. S. Wright, of the Western Penitentiary, for a copy of the forty-fifth annual report of the Inspectors in relation to that institution. The report embraces over one hundred pages, and contains statistics and information of an interesting character in relation to prison discipline in general, and the management of the Penitentiary, especially during the past year. From it we learn that during the year there were received into the institution 213 prisoners, and 176 discharged, leaving the present population 418. The youngest prisoner is under 18, and the oldest over 80 years of age—there being but one of the latter class. Two hundred and six are from Pennsylvania, and the remainder from other States and foreign countries. 223 have served in the army and navy. 77 received during the year were orphans.

The Inspectors refer in detail to the matter of prison discipline and make many interesting and important suggestions in that direction, prominent among which is a statement, that "a control, partly congregate, partly separate," could be adopted to meet the condition of all grades of prisoners, and that such a system would be found to possess many advantages over any other.

The Inspectors also speak with especial commendation of the efficiency of the Warden, and refer with especial pleasure to the report of the Chaplain, Rev. J. L. Milligan, which embraces notes of his observations while on a tour of inspection of the prisons in Europe.

The Inspectors ask for an appropriation from the State for the current year of $33,150—$22,400 of which is for salaries and the remainder for repairs, completion of block D, &c., &c.

The reports of the various officers which are attached to the Inspector's statement, contain interesting details of the practical working of the Institution, which, however, a want of space prevents us from reproducing here. In general, the whole may be summed up in the statement that the health of the inmates has been good during the year; that the result of allowing the prisoners to meet in chapel on Sabbath, and to have the privilege of an addition to the stock of literature in the library, has been of the most encouraging character; and that the management has never been in more harmonious working order than at present.

OUR REVENUE PAYMENTS.

Pittsburgh Compared with Other Cities.

The relative importance of Pittsburgh as a Revenue District in comparison with other cities in the land, may be perceived by the following statement, showing the receipts of the Government in some of the leading cities:

San Francisco	$2,824,940
Hartford	648,671
New Haven	356,938
Chicago	7,269,582
*Quincy, Ill	1,233,013
Indianapolis	379,531
Louisville	2,065,384
New Orleans	1,733,746
*Portland	210,176
Detroit	1,975,597
Cincinnati	5,973,051
Pittsburgh	1,972,842

This includes but the city of Pittsburgh, Allegheny city, the South Side and the large territory adjacent, and almost inseparably connected in business interests with Pittsburgh are represented in the table, yet while our city thus takes a leading position in this respect, other towns, such as Portland and Quincy, have recently received appropriations for government buildings which have been erected within their limits, at great cost—though the revenue received from these cities is much smaller than from this District. In view of such facts our claim for new buildings certainly is in every way just.

SUNDAY LIQUOR TRAFFIC.

Notable Increase of Drunkenness on Sundays—Who is Responsible?

Probably at no time in the city's history has the Sunday liquor traffic been carried on so extensively and openly as at present. Nearly every saloon and doggery in the city has its "back way," and in no part of the city is the evil of selling bad whisky more prevalent than in Diamond alley. Yesterday, during the entire day, large crowds of thirsty individuals might have been seen entering the little alley way leading to the rear doors of the saloons in close proximity to the Central Station House, under the very noses, as it were, of the officers at police headquarters, who, while they are ready enough to pick up the poor devils after they have taken in large quantities of the liquid fire illegally dispersed by greedy leeches, give themselves no concern whatever about the men who furnish the liquor. On the contrary, they seem to regard the saloon keepers in the light of friends, in that they furnish victims for the watch house, and thus assist materially in making a large business for the dispensers of justice to "common drunks." We would not be understood as intimating that the Mayor regards the illegal acts of these tavern keepers with a friendly eye, but it would be well if he were to show a disposition to check the Sunday business, which within a short period has become a great evil. The record at the watch-house shows that arrests for drunkenness on Sunday are of more frequent occurrence just now than they have been for many months. It may be claimed that this showing speaks well for the vigilance of the police, but that argument will not go for much with people who are at all observant of what is passing in our midst—particularly in Diamond alley, near the station house every Sunday.

APPEAL TO CONGRESS.

Citizens in Council—The Old Government Buildings Condemned—What the People of Pittsburgh Ask—A Just Demand—A Delegation to Visit Washington—A New Custom House a Necessity.

Saturday afternoon pursuant to call, a large number of our prominent citizens, representing every branch of trade and profession in the community, assembled at the Mayor's office, Municipal Hall, to take some action expressive of the feeling of our people in reference to the great necessity that exists for the erection of new government buildings here, to afford better facilities for the transaction of the large business which devolves upon the Government officers.

About half past three o'clock Mayor Blackmore called the meeting to order and read the "call" as published, explanatory of the object of the gathering, after which he read the following list of nominations of officers:

President—James M. Cooper.

Vice Presidents—Messrs. W. M. Lyon, A. P. Callow, A. H. Gross, H. W. Oliver, Jr., R. F. Smyth, John R. McCune, J. Harvey Jones, J. K. Moorhead, Joseph M. Brown, P. H. Hunker, Isaiah Dickey, Thomas M. Howe, Jared M. Brush, Henry Lloyd, H. M. Long, A. G. McCandless, James McBrier, Alfred Slack, Adam Reineman, and James Parke, Jr.

The gentlemen indicated were unanimously chosen to fill the positions named, and the organization was completed by the designation of the reporters of the press as Secretaries.

GROWTH OF THE CITY.

Mr. Cooper, on assuming the duties devolving upon him, said:

Gentlemen, I feel highly complimented on being called upon to preside at such a large and influential meeting as this, although I would have been more pleased had some one better acquainted with the subject to be considered than myself been selected.

Of the particular emergency which has instigated the call for this movement, I am not specially informed. There are, no doubt, gentlemen present who are prepared to exhibit the details of facts bearing upon the question, and to show the necessity for action now, while the attention of Congress is directed to the same object from other cities, whose claims for the proposed improvements are no greater than our own.

It is nearly twenty years since the appropriation of $170,000 was made by Congress for the purchase of ground and the erection of a building in this city for the accommodation of the Postoffice, Custom House, U. S. Court, &c.

The population of Pittsburgh proper was at that time probably not over one-half what it is to-day. The growth of the city and the march of improvement have been rapidly advancing ever since new industry, before unknown, have asserted their importance by the magnitude of their operations, and to-day challenge wonder and admiration wherever the name and fame of the Iron City is known.

Within two decades the manufacture of pig iron, petroleum and cast steel have been added to our great staple production of trench-ant iron, glass and cotton goods, and many millions have been invested to swell the working capital of our great and growing city.

A "CONSOLIDATION" HINT

The consequence of this enormous increase in population and employment of capital in productive industry is a cry for more room—room for expansion. The surrounding country has yielded to the inexorable demands of trade, and a large district has been absorbed and is now included within our city lines. And here allow me to remind you of the great advantage we lose on just such occasions as this by the fact that this great community, for it is but a single community after all, including the cities and boroughs on the opposite side of our rivers, is not consolidated into one great corporation with a population of 200,000 inhabitants. Then might we knock at the door, of Congress, with irresistible force and insist upon a proper recognition of our claims for such public structures as would suit not only our present importance in wealth and population, but such as will meet our rapid growth and our expansive necessities; such edifices as will not only comport with the demands of commerce, but will be a credit to the Government and an ornament to this great city. Pittsburgh has a great future before her. Methinks the time is not far distant, when the tourist in his visits to the great manufacturing centre of the world, will no longer speak of Pittsburgh as a Birmingham of America, but he will now truthfully classify the two cities by speaking of Birmingham as a Pittsburgh of England.

ASKING BUT OUR OWN.

I refer to these matters to show that there is an urgent necessity for larger and more convenient buildings for the accommodation of the people and the government establishments in our midst. We are but asking that a portion of our large contributions to the public revenue may be applied to a legitimate object, for our greater comfort and accommodation, and if you please for the fortification of our city pride, by the erection of more ornamental as well as useful government buildings in our midst. If the next investment of the Government in the purchase of ground and the erection of suitable buildings for the transaction of its business in this city shall turn out as profitably at the last, the proposed change will be a favor done, the people of the whole country rather than to us alone—for if I am correctly informed the site and the buildings now in possession of the Government officers here are worth at least three times their whole cost.

The purpose of this meeting is to take such action as will strengthen the hands of your delegates in Congress in making application for a liberal appropriation for the proposed object.

There is no doubt your wisdom will devise the proper means toward the end desired, and the matter is now before you for the adoption of such measures as your judgment shall suggest for the attainment of your purpose.

THE RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Henry M. Long at the close of President Cooper's remarks, presented the following preamble and resolutions—prefacing them with the remark that he had prepared them in order to facilitate the business of the meeting and to avoid all delay.

WHEREAS It is beyond dispute that the government building in Pittsburgh is old, dilapidated, dark, entirely too small and unhealthy; and whereas, the growing business of this judicial, postal and revenue district cannot now properly be accommodated therein; and whereas, it is necessary for the proper discharge of their duties, and the accommodation of the public, that the officers of the government be furnished convenient and suitable apartments; therefore,

Resolved, As the sense of this mass meeting of citizen taxpayers of Allegheny county, and of the Western Pennsylvania judicial district, that Congress should at once grant the necessary appropriation for erecting and furnishing a suitable building for the proper accommodation of the service.

Resolved, That a committee of seven citizens be appointed by the chairman of this meeting in conjunction with his honor, Mayor Blackmore, to present this subject immediately to the authorities at Washington and endeavor to have the wishes of the citizens in this regard complied with.

Resolved, That the representatives in Congress from Western Pennsylvania, be requested to take prompt action in this matter, with a view to carry out the measures proposed by this meeting.

Resolved, That we approve of and indorse the action of General James S. Negley in endeavoring to procure for this district an appropriation by Congress for the erection of government buildings in this city.

The resolutions were received for discussion.

WHY OTHER CITIES ARE FAVORED.

Mr. Long called attention to the fact that other cities much smaller in size had been more favored in regard to Government buildings than Pittsburgh. Portland, the revenue returns from which were insignificant in comparison with our city, had a handsome marble building costing about $100,000. Recently, Quincy, Illinois, a city which returned but a small amount in the shape of revenue, had secured an appropriation for new Government buildings, and other cities in other parts of the land were equally favored.

It was not the fault of our representative, Gen. Negley, that Pittsburgh was not among the fortunate class. It was the fault of the apathy of the people; they had failed to ask for their just dues. Gen. Negley, in a letter recently published, had complained that all his efforts in this direction were nullified by the apparent indifference of the people. Congressmen from other districts, when they made a demand for the buildings were supported by the united efforts of their constituents, which explained the success of other sections. The people should take an active interest in the matter and show that they wanted a new Custom House, or it never would be built.

JUSTICE OF PITTSBURGH'S CLAIM.

The justice of Pittsburgh's claim could not be gainsayed. The present buildings were totally inadequate for the accommodation of the officers of the Government. The last Grand Jury that had been called in connection with the U. S. Court complained of the want of a suitable room in which to sit, and had almost determined not to act at all unless a better place was provided them. They were packed away in a dirty, illy ventilated, badly lighted back loft in the third story of the building, where there was not one convenience to render their duties anything but a decided discomfort. His Honor Judge McCandless, attributed his ill health, in a great measure, to the want of proper accommodations in the Court room—which was a dingy, damp and gloomy apartment, totally unfit for the purpose designed. All the officers of the Court, and all who had business at the Custom House made a similar complaint.

Pittsburgh further ought to have new buildings when the fact was considered as stated by Judge McCandless that there was more business transacted in the district, and it was done more promptly too, than any other Revenue district outside of New York.

The speaker believed if these facts were brought to the attention of the people supported by the actions of the people, that there would be no trouble in the matter, and that Pittsburgh in a short time the city would have a new and commodious Custom House suitable to the wants of the District.

THE COMMITTEE APPOINTED.

Dr. A. M. Barr moved to amend by increasing the number of the committee to fifteen. The amendment was adopted, and on motion the resolutions as amended were adopted.

Mr. King suggested that the matter of the appointment of a committee be left with the chair in conjunction with Mayor Blackmore. The suggestion was put in the form of a motion and carried.

Dr. McCandless moved that the meeting when it adjourns, does so to meet again at the call of the Mayor. Carried.

Hon. J. M. Brush moved that the chairman of the meeting, Mr. Cooper, be made chairman of the committee to go to Washington. Carried.

The meeting then adjourned.

Later in the evening, after some deliberation, His Honor and Col. Cooper decided upon the following committee to go to Washington:

Hon. J. K. Moorehead,
Hon. J. M. Brush,
Hon. James P. Barr,
Springer Harbaugh Esq.,
J. Harvey Jones Esq.,
W. H. Mechling Esq.,
Dr. A. H. Gross,
Josiah King Esq.,

The Committee will meet this afternoon at the Mayor's office for consultation.

THE COURTS.

Saturday's Proceedings.

DISTRICT COURT—JUDGE KIRKPATRICK.

In this court the session, which was brief, was occupied with ordinary routine business. The following is the

Trial List for To-day.

231. White vs. Ballentine.
199. Campbell et ux. vs. Weaver et al.
10. German Security Bank vs. McGinnis.
15. Rees vs. Tomlinson & Son.
28. Jones vs. Sinclair.
3. Ross vs. Espy.
22. Welsh vs. Chartiers Valley R. R.
24. Gardner vs. Waring & King.

COMMON PLEAS—JUDGES STERRETT AND COLLIER.

The hearing of motions and petitions of no interest to the public, was all the business transacted in this court—save the decision in the Ninth ward Aldermanship case which is reported elsewhere.

The argument list will be taken up again this morning—jury trials being postponed.

New Bacon.

Messrs. Dalzell & Townsend, on Liberty street, have just taken a superior lot of sugar cured hams from the smoke house, and are offering them to the public at fair rates. Give them a call.

EXTENSIVE FIRE.

A Portion of the American Iron Works in Ruins—Heavy Loss—Insurance Abroad $75,000—In Pittsburgh Offices $25,000—Will be Re-built at Once—No Workmen Thrown Out of Employment—Conduct of Volunteer Firemen.

At a few minutes before nine o'clock on Saturday night fire was discovered issuing from the rail and spike mill of the mammoth American Iron Works of Jones & Laughlins, located in Ormsby borough, on the south bank of the Monongahela river, some three miles from the city. Although the alarm was promptly sounded, and prompt action was taken to check the flames ere they had gained any considerable headway, yet it spread with frightful rapidity, and that branch of the extensive works had to be abandoned to the mercies of the devouring element, and attention was directed to saving the more important connecting mills, nail factories and foundries, a whole series of them being clustered together. The employees of the works directed by the members of the firm labored most faithfully to prevent the fire from spreading, being supplied with the apparatus and hose belonging to the mill and knowing how to handle them with proficiency. The Walton Hose Company of Birmingham arrived promptly on hand, but, if report speaks truly, as we shall afterwards explain, they might have accomplished more good by remaining away.

The fire swept the building in which it originated rapidly away, and communicated to the large foundry and machine shop which also fell a prey to its wrath. A dispatch was brought to this city for help when the foundry took fire, as it was feared that all the mill property would be sacrificed, together with the houses of the workmen which form in themselves a large village. The Duquesne and Vigilant steamers were at once ordered to the scene by Chief Engineer Cupples who accompanied them thither to render his valuable assistance in quenching the flames if need be. The steamers obtained good position and were ready for service when an officer of the Walton Hose company deprived them of their plugs and they returned home considerably chagrined over the reception they had received on their mission of kindness. Fortunately the wind was blowing towards the river at the time, and the flames exhausted their fury on the two buildings mentioned, both of which were reduced to ashes.

BEAUTIFUL SPECTACLE.

During its progress the fire presented a sublime spectacle, the large structure being enveloped at one time in a sheet of lurid flames that presented an acre of surface, and leaped high in the air, brilliantly illuminating the sky so that ordinary print could be read in its brightness many squares away. Thousands of people were attracted to the scene, and there were none who did not grieve at heart when the monster iron works seemed in danger of being all laid in ruins, for none of our great workshops of industry command more admiration than this, the second in extent and importance in the United States.

THE LOSSES.

Yesterday our reporter visited the ruins in order to ascertain the amount of damage done, and was fortunate enough to encounter one of the members of the firm who furnished all the possible information he could under the circumstances. He thought, from the rigid examination that he had made of the rolls, machinery, etc., enveloped in the debris, that most of it would be taken out in good order and ready for work inside of a few weeks at the farthest. The monster fly-wheel escaped harm entirely. Several engines were left in very good condition, suffering trifling damage, and only one was rendered a mass of ruins. On the latter an immense iron pulley weighing some twenty tons and fastened next the lofty ceiling, fell and crushed the engine into a shapeless ruin. It was remarkably singular that the machinery escaped so well. The most serious and provoking loss was that of patterns in the foundry, which would require some time to replace. The aggregate loss will hardly exceed $100,000, and it is fully covered by insurance, distributed in $5,000 policies in five of our home companies and fifteen foreign ones. Those abroad we did not learn, but were informed that the Pittsburgh, Western, Citizens, Boatmans and the Merchants and Manufacturers Companies of this city each suffer a loss of $5,000. The firm were insured for a much larger amount on their works, which, altogether, are worth many hundred thousand dollars, but the policies were issued for parts and parcels, machinery, etc., so that even should the loss be much heavier than now calculated, that amount of insurance can only be claimed.

NO TIME TO BE LOST.

The re-building the destroyed portions of the works will commence this morning and a temporary structure or shed will be erected over the machinery so as to permit operations to be resumed with the least possible delay. We are gratified to announce that the fire will throw none of the workmen out of place, as the firm will manage to afford employment to all hands until they can accommodate them at their old places. Few were engaged in the consumed departments, when compared with the immense number afforded employment by the works, and all can be provided with some sort of labor until the repairs are made. The fire happened in the worst possible season, as the firm were crowded with orders, and even a week's time lost in any department entails serious inconvenience. However, as they were keeping up with the present and prospective demands of an advancing market, they accumulated a large stock which will supply their orders until they are once more in the full tide of operation.

THE ORIGIN OF THE FIRE.

Close examination reveals the origin of the fire to have been of an accidental nature. The private watchman made his rounds through the mill where it originated, after supper, and all things appeared to be right. The fire was first discovered at a coal box front of a furnace, the ashes from which had been raked out at noon when the fireman left. It is supposed that the ashes smouldered until, gaining life from a gust of wind, it set fire to the coal box, which was very dry and burned quickly, communicating the flames to the timbers above, which were thoroughly saturated with oil drippings from the machinery, at this time was first discovered the fire, and the alarm was given.

THE TROUBLE AMONG THE FIREMEN.

If it be true, as alleged, that the Pittsburgh firemen were snubbed and actually driven away from the scene of the fire, after going so far to do service as a matter of compliment to the people of a neighboring borough, the citizens of the South Side should be prompt to make explanation of the conduct of their firemen, and to disapprove of such conduct. Our fireman can well afford to be independent and to stay inside of city limits, but they are always willing to go where duty and humanity call. This, we believe, is not first time that they have been scorned when offering to do kindness for their outside neighbors, and it may be that they will turn Neros and fiddle while the fire burns outside the command of the great alarm bell. It is in order for the Walton Hose Company to explain away the present cause for complaint, and it is likewise in order for the people of the South Side and North Side to consider whether a consolidation with Pittsburgh for protection against fire is not advisable.

IMPROVEMENT OF FIFTH AVENUE.

The City Councils to be Appealed to—Supreme Court Decisions Bearing on the Matter of Street Improvements.

For several years the miserable condition of Fifth avenue from the neighborhood of Soho to Oakland, has been the cause of much dissatisfaction and contention. A proposition is now being made to improve it, and the only obstacle this time is whether the Penn avenue act under which the proposed improvement is to be made shall be amended or not, so as to allow parties who are benefitted by the improvement not on the line of the road to pay part of the cost.

Many of the wealthy and enterprising citizens who live off the line of the avenue have expressed their willingness to pay something towards the improvement, if the Commissioners authorized under the act can make a fair and legal schedule of the same.

On the other hand it is feared by the leading men who press the improvement that even if the law were so amended it would not stand before the Supreme Court, and quote Judge Agnew's decision in the Washington avenue case.

A careful examination of the decision will show the Court decided that "it was not a case of municipal taxation by a city for local improvement," but the act compelled the owners of farm lands, lying within one mile on each side of a public highway to pay for grading, macadamizing and improving it by an assessment upon their lands by the acre, within the prescribed lines of taxation, whilst some of the plaintiff's do not use the avenue, but travel on parallel roads.

"The mode of taxation is inconsistent with our notions of the equality of burthens."

"Taxation according to benefits received is neither unequal nor unjust."

"In cities and towns where population was dense, improvements of special advantage to certain of the citizens were needed. The legislative power to authorize it is so clear that few cases are to be found in the books wherein any has been made upon it."

"It has been held in two cases coming under my notice, that a special mode of taxation, which equalizes burdens by a counter-balance of benefits, whereby those benefitted less, pay less, is a power which was affirmed in both cases.

"So long, therefore, as a law faithfully and reasonably provides for a just assessment according to the benefits conferred, and does not impose unfair and unequal burdens, it can not be said to exceed the legislative power of taxation, when exercised for proper objects."

"Local assessments can only be constitutional when imposed to pay for local improvements, clearly conferring special benefits on the parties assessed, and to the extent of these benefits. This opinion does not dispute the long recognized power of local improvements, according to the benefits conferred."

"Laws which cast the burthens of the public on a few individuals, no matter what the pretense, or how seemingly their analogy to constitutional enactments, are in their essence despotic and tyrannical, and it becomes the judiciary to stand firmly by the fundamental law in defense of those general, great and essential principles of liberty and free government for the establishment and perpetuation of which the Constitution itself was ordained."

In view of this decision Councils will be asked to-day to recommend our delegation in Harrisburg to press the passage of a supplement authorizing the Commissioners for the improvement of Fifth avenue under the provisions of the Penn avenue act, to assess the cost of said improvement upon the property benefitted thereby. If this be done, the last impediment to the much needed improvement of this leading avenue will be swept away and a good road to that district insured.

Public Entertainments.

NEW OPERA HOUSE.—Mr. Owens closed his engagement at the New Opera House on Saturday evening to a very good house. This evening the first appearance of Marietta Ravel in a "speaking piece," entitled "Jartine, or the Pride of the Fourteenth," in which she appears in five different characters.

FIFTH AVENUE OPERA HOUSE.—The stock company did a flourishing business at this house on Saturday. This evening Miss Ada Gray, a lady of refinement and taste, and very highly spoken of by the press of other cities, will appear in a drama entitled "Cora or the Pride of Wealth."

MASONIC HALL.—The Amateur Theatrical Company that played The Drunkard at Masonic Hall last week showed up considerable talent, and we hope that they will be liberally supported when they appear before the public again. Mr. George E. Davis as Edward Middleton did the part very good indeed for an amateur, his acting being equal to that of the professionals that "grace" the stage at our Opera Houses.

Mules and Horses for Sale at the Red Lion Drove Stables, Pittsburgh.

E. H. Wright, Esq., an extensive farmer and stock raiser of Washington county, Iowa, arrived on Saturday evening with a car load of horses and well broken mules. The stock is all of the first quality, suited for heavy draught as well as speed—gentle to handle and in good plight. Mr. Wright is a good judge and stands high in stock circles. His present collections are principally of his own production and are admirably adapted to our market and will be disposed of at reasonable rates if sold soon.

MURDER AT A BAGNIO.

Probable Fatal Stabbing Affray at a House of Ill-Fame—Arrest of the Alleged Perpetrator of the Bloody Deed—The Dying Man's Deposition.

An affray occurred about eleven o'clock Saturday night at a house of ill-fame on Twentieth street, Twelfth ward, between two men named Owen Peter Corey and Francis J. Holtzman, in which the latter was seriously and probably fatally cut and stabbed by Corey. The would-be murderer, it appears, went to the house in question, which is kept by a woman named Margaret Gilchrist, and knocked at the door for admission. His request was at first refused, but the fellow persisted in his demand for several minutes, when the door was opened by a young man, who, together with Holtzman, was inside. Corey at once rushed in, when a fight ensued between him and a man named Joseph McAfee, a friend of Holtzman. During the scuffle, the latter went to the assistance of his friend, when Corey drew a knife and cut and stabbed Holtzman in three places, viz: in the abdomen, near the umbilicus, in the left side, and in the left thigh. The wound first inflicted is about an inch in length, and of a depth sufficient to reach the intestines, which protruded from the gash made by the murderous weapon. The second stab was not a severe one, as the blade struck a rib, and hence did not penetrate to a very great depth. The cut on the thigh is quite an extensive one, but is not of a serious nature. As soon as he had inflicted the injuries described, Corey fled. The wounded man was taken to the house of his brother, No. 161 Mulberry street, where he has since been attended by Dr. J. A. Duncan. The physician pronounces that the stab in the abdomen will prove fatal, and that the injured man will not survive many hours.

The Chief of Police was notified of the affair, and Detectives George Strain and James Scott were entrusted with the duty of making the arrest. Having obtained a description of the man, these officers were untiring in their exertions to ferret him out, and yesterday about noon their efforts were crowned with success. They found their man at the boarding house of Mrs. Kurtz, No. 723 Penn street. After taking Corey prisoner the officers took him into the presence of the wounded man for indentification. Holtzman gazed at the prisoner steadily for nearly a minute, when he said, "That is the man who cut me." The prisoner was then conveyed to the Central Station House, where he now awaits such further action as the case may demand.

Holtzman, the injured man, was about twenty-two years of age. He was employed as a "catcher" at Shoenberger's mills. Corey, it is said, was employed at the Spring Works, corner of Twenty-first and Liberty streets. He denies that he committed the crime, and says he knows nothing about it.

Mayor Blackmore yesterday morning proceeded to the bedside of the injured man, and took his deposition, which is as follows:

I, Francis J. Holtzman, being duly sworn by James Blackmore, Mayor of the city of Pittsburgh, to make a true statement as to how and where I received my present injuries, and being entirely conscious of all that occurred and believing that I will not recover, do solemnly declare and depose as follows: Between ten and eleven o'clock Saturday myself and two others went to the house of "Mag." Gilchrist, on Twentieth street, near the Allegheny Valley Railroad; we went there and sat down for the purpose of enjoying ourselves. There were in the house myself, "Mag." Gilchrist, "English Sue," the two men who went with me, and Mrs. Gilchrist's son; we had not been there more than a half hour when a rap came at the door; Maggie went to the door and said, "who's there?" was answered in a rough voice, "a friend," she said she wanted no friends, that her husband was there; the answer came, "I know a d——n sight better, and I will come in;" "Mag" said, "you had better, not, and if you don't go away I will have you arrested." Joseph McAfee and I walked to the door and told him that was enough of his hammering; I then said to Joe, "Open the door and put them away;" I thought there were two; Mag said, "Don't open the door; I don't want any fighting here." He said, "No, you s— of a b—, you had better not open the door. Joe then said, "Peter, that is enough of that," and the door was opened. Pete had Joe in his arms, and I went up and was in the act of helping Joe, when he (Pete) made one thrust at me and a second and a third, cutting me each time; can't tell the place he cut me first time; Joe and I ran out of the yard to Railroad street; he pursuing us; he followed to the foundry; we stopped at Twenty-first street; I then said "I am commencing to feel bad; get me to a doctor as quick as you can; my clothes were wet with blood." He said, "come along, he had hold of me." He took me in McCune's drug store; they saw my wounds—only one of them—they saw my bowels protruding—Lieutenant Hager went after the doctor, and I was so weak that I had to lay down on the floor; the doctor came and I think he tried to put my bowels in their place, but did not succeed; they got a spring wagon and took me to the station house; my brother Joseph soon arrived and I was taken home to my mother's; never had any difficulty with this man before.

FRANCIS J. HOLTZMAN.

ARRESTED ON SUSPICION.

The Semple Robbery—The Supposed Burglars Caught—The Watchman Released—Hearing Before the Mayor—The Men Held Until To-Day.

A ripple of excitement ran through police circles on Saturday, caused by the arrest of two men who are supposed to be the parties by whom the robbery at Semple's dry goods store was committed a few evenings since. The prisoners are John Gorman and Samuel Krozier. Gorman, who is familiarly designated as "Black Jack," has an unenviable reputation for expertness in "safe blowing," which will not add to his chances for escape in this case. Krozier is a man who was formerly employed in the store as salesman.

It seems that Chief Clark, on the night of the robbery, had directed his police to watch Krozier, whom he suspected as a dangerous character. Krozier was observed loitering around the store in the early part of the evening, and several times went into North alley, along which the building extends. He was stopped at length by officer Weir, when he gave his name as Montgomery. Chief Clark came up during the conversation and was introduced by the officer as Mr. Gibson. Krozier *alias* Montgomery desired to find Miller & McCullough's, where "he had been invited to a dance," and the Chief piloted him to the place and seeing him enter the building paid no further attention to the matter until he was awakened several hours afterward and notified of the robbery. He went immediately to "the dance" but Krozier was not there,—he had been refused admission by the doorkeeper on account of not having a lady with him.

The next day Chief Clark consulted with Chief Irwin, of this city, and the two kept a lookout for the man. Between three and four o'clock Saturday morning Krozier was arrested by Detective Herron on Market street and locked up.

A few hours previous Gorman, or "Black Jack," had been arrested on Fifth avenue.

Saturday morning, when Kennedy, the watchman, confronted them, he at once identified Gorman as the man who was principal in the robbery, and the one who gagged him. Both of the accused, however, stoutly denied any connection with the robbery, and Krozier was emphatically fierce in his threats of making it "a dear arrest" to the chief.

A hearing was had in the case Saturday evening, when the facts as detailed above were developed. Mr. Semple also identified Krozer as a man who had been in his employ once but left of his own accord—being honest and industrious as far as known.

The accused were then held over until to-day for a further hearing.

Wants an Office.

The following production was found on Smithfield street yesterday and handed to us for preservation. The disconsolate author can obtain the original manuscript by calling at this office and paying for the composition of the article:

I WANT TO BE A BLUECOAT.

There cannot possibly be another position in life so congenial to human nature as that of corner policeman. To stand at the intersection of two crowded thoroughfares, with acknowledged authority to arrest the progress of those who desire to hurry ahead and at the same time compel those who have made up their minds to wait to "move on," is certainly the most pleasing of all occupations and most invigorating of all amusements. The inestimable privilege of anticipating everybody's wishes and at the same time of destroying their dearest hopes is a boon conferred on only too few of the human race.

Suppose a wagon stopped before a crossing. A beautiful lady, with graceful train and dainty gaiters, seeing the way clear trips airily from the sidewalk to cross the street just at the opportune moment when the corner policeman waves his wand and the wagon moves forward. Now she is compelled to stand with her dear little feet in the demnition damp mud of the crossing. She looks so perplexed, disappointed and provoked at this annoyance that the rattan is waved again to permit her to pass first but only to stop the wagon immediately across the lady's path. Now the wagoner is mad. He was only angry before. At the same time another wagon is stopped directly across the proposed route of the first team, while a street car driver to the rear of the first wagon whistles to "clear the track;" and there you have them.

Interlocutory interjections are interchanged between the different drivers. More dainty ladies in prunella and satin, and a number of gentlemen in broadcloth and newly polished crimped boots join the first lady at the crossing. The passengers in the street cars "suppose it don't make any difference whether this car ever gets through or not." The confusion becomes great and general. Then the vigilant officer retires to the sidewalk and orders the boys who are exchanging cigar stumps to "don't obstruct the walk," and as he contemplates the satisfactory result of his vigilance the vehicles begin to move away. The foot passengers cross the street, the ladies stamping the opposite walk, when it is reached, with much vigor and determination, and the crossing being now clear the faithful guardian returns and resumes his occupation. Delightful occupation! How soothing to the mind!

"I want to be a blue-coat,
And at the corner stand.
A wattle in my scabbard,
And a rattan in my hand."

OLD BALLAD REVISED.

BANKSVILLE, February, 1872.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—I see in your article "school house dedication" that some two or three items have been omitted. The first is that at the dedication exercises great praise was justly and very deservedly bestowed on the carpenters, Mr. C Hall and Murdock, contractors, and Messrs. J. Beaumont, Hall, Dodge and Culbert, builders. Great care has been taken by these gentlemen to have the work finished in the best style, and their care has resulted in complete success; not a single loose or ill-fitting joint can be found in either house. The carpenter work in short, is *perfect*, and great credit is justly due the above named gentlemen. Second, a vote of thanks was tendered the Board of Directors for their earnest endeavors to promote educational interests in Union township by the erection of two such magnificent buildings. Prof. A. T. Douthett proposed getting a photograph of the old fashioned seat used in the old building, a sample of which he held up before the audience, and proposed seating Prof. J. R. Holmes in it with J. R. Neeld on his right, W. Marshall on his left and J. Sheddon peeping over the back; he also offered $5 for a picture of the same. The meeting adjourned about 5 P. M. Yours,

S. U. P. PLEMENT.

Police Notes.

Yesterday Mayor Callow fined Robert Allman fifty dollars and costs for disorderly conduct on the streets Saturday night.

W. B. Ross appeared before Alderman Stewart, of Allegheny, Saturday, and made three informations charging Patrick Baily with selling liquor on Sunday. Baily keeps a tavern at Wood's Run.

Three Allegheny policemen were yesterday suspended for ten days each for neglecting to patrol their beats. They were discovered at a late hour Saturday night sitting together, and chatting in a social manner, thus violating the regulations laid down by Mayor Callow.

BREVITIES.

MARIETTA RAVEL at the New Opera House.

CITY COUNCILS this afternoon at the usual hour and place.

MISS ADA GRAY at the Fifth Avenue Opera House to-night.

W. B. ROSS, Esq., of Allegheny was presented with a cane by his friends on Friday evening.

WEDDING GIFTS are now out of vogue. It is regarded as vulgar to make a present. This is good news to many.

A SINGULAR domestic complication has occurred in Syracuse, where an undutiful son has eloped with his father's second wife.

YESTERDAY, Mrs. Elliott, a lady of Allegheny, was thrown from a buggy while coming from Hilldale cemetery and severely injured.

MISS MATILDA HINDMAN will talk to the Oakdalians on "Woman and her claims," on Wednesday the 28th inst., in the Oakdale Academy Hall.

A TIMELY invention has been patented by a Western genius in the shape of a railway car of which the uppermost side spontaneously opens when it is upset.

THE Uniontown accommodation train on the Connellsville Railroad was thrown from the track on Saturday morning. No one was injured, although a car was badly wrecked.

MR. WM. A. HOAK, formerly a corner policeman at Penn and Ninth streets, has received the appointment of Assistant Fire Marshal of Allegheny county. A good selection.

THE Water Commissioners of this city arrived in New York from Boston, Saturday, and left that city yesterday for Baltimore. They will arrive home about the middle of this week.

APPLICATIONS for charters of incorporations were made in the Court of Common Pleas Saturday morning for the Mount Oliver German Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and the First U. P. Church, Allegheny.

IN THE Court of Common Pleas, on Saturday morning, upon petition of Thomas and Joseph McClurg, Messrs. R. B. Carnahan, T. H. Nevin, R. C. Loomis, W. G. Hawkins, Jr. George Fortune, Aaron Floyd and Reuben Miller were appointed to assess damages on property of petitioners by the P. V. & C. Railway Company.

COL. PHILLIPS, chairman of Finance Committee of Councils, will to-day present the Committee's report concerning that "donation" of one hundred thousand dollars to Chicago. The report will be to the effect that the law fails to provide for the donation, and that the action of Councils in the premises was illegal, and therefore void and of no effect.

FRIDAY NIGHT between eleven and twelve o'clock a fire broke out in the drying house of the Excelsior Coffin Works, on Rebecca street, Allegheny. An alarm was given and as usual the Fire Department was promptly on the ground. The flames, however, had made considerable progress, and considerable damage was done before they were extinguished. The fire was confined to the drying house where it originated. The loss is covered by insurance.

LAST evening a lad named Ernest Justice, a lad about twelve years of age, appeared at the Mayor's office and stated that his father had cruelly abused him, and that he was afraid to go home. The lad's face bore marks of violence, and he stated that his father inflicted the injuries by knocking him down and kicking him. The unfortunate boy was taken to the Central Station House, and this morning his case will be brought before the Mayor. The father resides at 100 Seventh avenue.

WE HAD the pleasure of a call from Messrs. Lt. A. D. Balcombe, general manager, and W. Riddick, one of the proprietors of the *Omaha Tribune and Republican*, one of the best and staunchest of our Republican exchanges. Mr. Balcombe is a good specimen both in wisdom and stature of the kind of men who are building up great cities in the West. Mr. Riddick is an old Pittsburgher who has joined himself to the Omahaans and is laboring with the rest of those giants to advance the march of Empire westward. He has been cordially welcomed to his old haunts by his many friends.

THE ORPHAN'S FAIR held in the basement of St. Paul's Cathedral, during the present winter, did not come fully up to the expectations of those immediately interested. Rev. Father Hickey promises on Wednesday next to announce a time for the presentation of a detailed report of the financial condition of the Orphan Asylum, together with a complete exhibit of the proceeds and expenses of the late fair. Informally, however, the following figures of the latter were given: From Rev. R. Byrnes' table, $4,250; Young Ladies' Sodality, $3,000; Door receipts, 2,875,00; Hibernia Society, 1,922,28; Refreshment booth, $538.00; Children of Mary, $759,78; total reported, $13,356,851. The Young Men's Sodality is yet to report, which will probably swell the receipts to $15,500. The expenses were $2,294,04, leaving about $13,205,98 net profit.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

The Cost of Living Compared With the Cost of Shuffling Off.

EDITORS GAZETTE.—As the cost of living in Pittsburgh is attracting attention, both at home and abroad, permit one who lives generally generally to contribute a few valuable hints, derived from his personal experience. I have tried both provincial and metropolitan life, and after careful consideration, am bound to give my decision for the city. Country life is too dull and fatiguing for the enjoyment of life by the cultivated and refined individual, who is certain to feel the cruel hardships resulting from the coarseness of country diet. I am now living in a moderately comfortable style, though I am satisfied that some persons might be found who would remonstrate against certain characteristics connected with my present quarters. But for my part, I believe that mediocrity in boarding houses is most desirable, and am best contented when I equally avoid the vile and the vain. I subjoin the figures of my cost of living and annual saving:

Board 52 weeks at $7	$ 364 00
Add leap year one day	1 00
Washing 52 weeks at $2	104 00
Tailor's bill, 4 suits at $30	120 00
Incidental (cigars and refreshments) at $1.50 per day, 365 days	547 50
Total one year	$1,136 50

My living then may be said to be worth per annum eleven hundred and thirty-six fifty. "How do I meet this bill" you ask? With philosophy and equinamity. When my landlords present their accounts, which they usually do once a month, I move. This entails an expense for drayage of say

Cartage one year, 12 times, 50c, $6,00.

I anticipate the wash bill, so that it is never presented.

The tailor's bill always goes over; and as the cigars, &c., usually depreciate in quality at any bar long patronized, I transfer my patronage frequently as a matter of both comfort and economy. Deducting the $6 00 for cartage, the balance is $1,130.50, actual value of my living.

Compare this with the other side. Suppose you are a respectable person, you cannot commit hari kari or anything of that sort without annoying your landlord, and perhaps soiling bedding, carpets, furniture, etc. Even should you thus dispose of your case, the *post mortem* and jury fees will cost more than six dollars, to say nothing of the drapery, sexton's fees, &c. Carriages cost five dollars each. Hearse say $15. (I confess I am not certain about the latter, as I never rode in one) Let us make a comparative estimate:

10 carriages, (say)	$ 50 00
Hearse, (say)	15 00
Inquest, (say)	12 00
Sexton, (say)	1 50
Incidental, (say)	11 00
Must be paid	$ 89 50
Net value of living	$1,130 50
Actual cost of not living	89 50
	$1,220 00

Here are the statistics complete, with over one hundred dollars per month in my favor. There are the two systems; take your choice.

WALKING GENT.

National Joy.

France will boast of her Napoleon with feelings peculiar to France; England with mingled gloom and glory will associate the names of Nelson and Trafalgar; Ireland, as she sweeps the wild harp of her country's misfortune, will sing of the eloquence of her Curran, and the martyrdom of her Emmett; but higher than all are the peans of the young gentlemen of Pittsburgh who secure some of those elegant suits of fashionable clothing which can alone come from the popular establishment of URLING, FOLLANSBEE & CO., southwest corner of Wood street and Fifth avenue.

MELANGE.

THE Indianapolis *Sentinel* calls them Terre Hautentots.

OVER $120,000 capital will be invested in base ball this year.

IT IS proposed to substitute a vast mirror for the drop curtain at the Paris Grand Opera House.

A VERMONT youth, making a call, was found by the young lady mounted upon a chair, before the mirror and admiring the set of his pantaloons.

FOSTER, the condemned car-hook murderer, who it will be remembered, appealed to the Supreme Court of New York has been sentenced to be hung on the 22d of March.

THE briefest charge ever delivered to a jury was that of Mr. Montague Bree, the Recorder of Bristol, England. It ran thus: "Gentlemen of the jury, which of the parties has spoken the truth."

THE New York *World* says: "A female student in Michigan University is said to saw far more wood than any of her male associates. It need scarcely be added that she is in the saw-far-more class.

THE Louisville *Courier Journal* is philosophical and says: It is said that both the English and Prussians have torpedoes that will blow a navy sky-high. It is lucky for us, then, that we have no navy that is worth blowing sky high.

DIBBS and his wife were indulging in reminiscences over their dinner nuts and raisins. "How one thing brings up another," said the lady, absorbed in pleasing retrospection. "Yes," replied Dibbs, "an emetic for instance" "You're a mean thing," said Mrs. Dibbs, as she fled through the door.

THE Theta Delta Chi Fraternity will hold its quarter centennial convention and reunion under the auspices of the Phi Charge at the Astor House, New York, on the 28th and 29th of this month and the 1st of March. We take this opportunity to express our acknowledgments of the receipt of an invitation to be present.

A SECTION in the new civil code of California is so clumsily worded by the Revision Commissioners as to constitute a very sweeping divorce law. It reads: "All marriages of white persons, or negroes or mulattoes are illegal and void." The Indians and heathen Chinee are the only persons legally married according to that code.

THE following is told by Bishop E——, of Massachusetts:

Visiting one of the churches of his diocese, he requested that the children of the Sunday-school should be assembled to be catechised. The good bishop put this question rather suddenly to the little boy who stood trembling at the head of his class, "Who made the world?"

The little fellow, with quivering voice, replied, "I didn't."

The bishop, astonished at the answer, demanded, "What do you mean, sir?"

Still more frightened, the lad replied, "If—I—did—I—won't—do—it—again!"

RIVER TELEGRAMS.

CINCINNATI, February 24.—River stationary, with fifteen feet six inches water. No arrivals or departures, except packets.

MEMPHIS, February 25.—Clear and pleasant. The river rose ten inches. Arrived—Commercial, Evansville. Departed—James Howard, St. Louis.

CAIRO, February 25.—Arrived—Quickstep, Evansville, 10 P. M.; Pink Varble, Evansville, 4 A. M.; Kate Robinson, Memphis, 5; Belle Memphis, St. Louis, 9 P. M.; St. Luke, St. Louis. Departed—Marble City, for St. Louis, 9 P. M.; Tyrone, Nashville; Quickstep, Evansville, 1 A. M.; H. S. Turner, New Orleans; Kate Kenny, New Orleans; Pink Varble, Arkansas river, 6; Kate Robinson, Evansville, 7; W. J. Lewis, St. Louis, 10; H. M. Shreve, Red river, 3 P. M. River risen 10 inches. Clear; thermometer 48.

EVANSVILLE, February 25.—Clear and mild; mercury 48. River rising slowly. Down—Sam J. Hale and Edinburgh, 9 A. M.; Falls City, 10; Andes, 11; Nightingale, 7; Tarascon, 3 P. M.; Bowling Green, 8. Up—Arkansas Belle, 11 A. M.; Kanawha No. 2, 2 P. M. Business active. The Thompson Dean takes 1,200 tons here, and will leave to-night.

ST. LOUIS, February 25.—Arrived—Atlantic, New Orleans; Ironsides and Valid, Pittsburgh; Lady Lee, Red river; Emilie Labarge, New Orleans. Departed—Sallie, Arkansas river; Collosal and Continental, New Orleans; City of Chester, Memphis; Oceanus, Red river. River rising, with a reported depth of water to Cairo of ten feet. Weather clear and cooler. The wharf boat of the Arkansas and Red River packet line sunk this forenoon, but was raised again. No freight was damaged. Boats will leave for the New Orleans river on Wednesday, and very soon for the Illinois, and to Quincy and Keokuk.

LOUISVILLE, February 25.—River falling slowly; 7 feet in canal; 5 feet in chute. Cloudy, damp and chilly. Arrived—Bermuda, Alice Dean, Abeona and J. E. Rankin, Cincinnati; Liberty barges, Grouton and Eddyville, Nashville. Departed—Bermuda, Evansville; Eddyville and J. E. Rankin, falls, Nashville; Sampson barges, Pittsburgh; Abeona, falls, Tennessee river; Alice Dean, canal, New Orleans. The wharfage for the week ending Saturday was $706. The gates for the new lock are all in place. The mud is being rapidly cleaned out of the new canal. It is said boats will be able to pass through to-morrow or next day. The Glasgow will commence receiving to-morrow for White river.

THE King of Italy has conferred upon Mr. Edward Whymper, Vice-President of of the Alpine Club the Order of St. Maurice et Lazare, "in recognition of the value of his recently published magnificent work upon the Alps."

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COURTNEY—DIHM—On Thursday evening, February 22d, at the Third (3d) Presbyterian church, by the Rev. S. F. Scovel, J. ADDISON COURTNEY to MARY T., eldest daughter of George F. Dihm.

FOGLE—DEGEN—On Thursday, Feb. 22d, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. Zerkel, D. D., Mr. ZACHARIAH FOGLE, of Pittsburgh, and Miss MARY A., daughter of E. Degen, Esq.

DIED:

McMASTER—On Friday morning, the 23d inst. at 5:15 A. M., MATTIE STEVENSON, daughter of James and M. J. McMaster.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her father, No. 14 Federal street, Pittsburgh, MONDAY MORNING, at 10 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

STRIGHT—On Sunday morning, WILMER THOMPSON, youngest son of Albert and Tillie A. Stright, aged twenty-one months and twenty-seven days.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from the residence of his parents, No. 302 Rebecca street, Allegheny, TUESDAY MORNING, at 10 o'clock.

McCABE—On Saturday 24th inst., at 12:30 P. M. Mrs. MARY McCABE, in the seventy-ninth year of her age.

Funeral from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Bernard Gray, corner of Jackson street and Irwin avenue, Allegheny city, on THIS (Monday) MORNING at 9:30 A. M., to proceed to St. Peter's Church, Anderson street, and thence to St. Mary's cemetery. The friends of the family are respectfully invited.

HALL—On Saturday morning, 24th inst., at 11 o'clock, ROBERT HALL, in the seventy-fourth year of his age.

Funeral on MONDAY, 26th inst., at 10 o'clock A. M., from his late residence, No. 145 Liberty street. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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JOHN STREICHER,
JOSEPH STEBLER.
LAWRENCEVILLE Feb. 21, 1872. fe22:122

PITTSBURGH, PA., February 17, 1872.

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

The Co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm of PICKHARDT & BARTON, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, CHARLES BARTON retiring from the firm.

HENRY PICKHARDT,
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Co-Partnership.

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PICKHARDT & DAUBMANN.
PITTSBURGH, Feb. 17th, 1872. fe22:122

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of D. F. AGNEW & CO., was, by mutual consent, dissolved January 15, 1872. All debts due to or by the late firm, will be settled by D. F. AGNEW.

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DISSOLUTION.

The firm of FAHNESTOCK & BIRNEY was dissolved by limitation on the 1st day of January, 1872. The business of the late firm will be settled by its successors, FAHNESTOCK & MURRAY.

J. M. FAHNESTOCK,
THOMAS BIRNEY.

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A. S. MURRAY.
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DISSOLUTION.

The Co-partnership heretofore existing between W. B. JUNKER, C. DEITRICK and WILLIAM MUSSLER, under the firm name of Junker, Deitrick & Co., Leather Dealers, No. 205 Liberty street, was, on the 8th January ultimo, dissolved by mutual consent, C. Deitrick and Wm. Mussler retiring from the firm. The accounts of the firm will be settled W. B. JUNKER, who continues the business at the old stand.

W. B. JUNKER,
C. DEITRICK,
L. F. DEMMLER,
fe8:k15 Adm'r of Wm. Mussler, deceased.

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PITTSBURGH, April 1, 1871.

FEBRUARY 19th, 1872.

DISSOLUTION.—The Partnership heretofore existing under the name of KAKILTY & EAKIN, Plasterers, has this day dissolved by mutual consent, HUGH EAKIN retiring from the firm. The business of the late firm will be settled by John Kakilty.

JOHN KAKILTY,
H. EAKIN.

The undersigned will continue business on his own account.

fe21:117 JOHN KAKILTY.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The butcher business formerly kept by KREDEL & FRIEDRICH, Allegheny, has been dissolved by mutual agreement on the 14th of December, 1871. Each of the undersigned will continue business on his own account.

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6 shares German National Bank;
25 shares Third National Bank;
18 shares Second National Bank, Allegheny;
9 shares Duquesne Bank;
20 shares Keystone Bank;
50 shares Allegheny Gas Co.;
28 shares Ewalt street Bridge Co.;
300 shares Columbia Oil Co.;
25 shares German Insurance Co.;
20 shares Allemania Insurance Co.;
10 shares Peoples' Insurance Co.

fe24 A. McILWAINE, Auctioneer.

VALUABLE COAL FARM AT PUBLIC Sale, (lately owned by James S. Neeld), in Upper St. Clair township, (6 miles from Pittsburgh ½ mile from Chartiers Railroad, 97 acres good farming land, 90 acres of coal, opening on McLaughlin's Run, and commanding large coal field in the rear. Land and coal sold together or separately. Terms very easy. Sale on the premises, THURSDAY, February, 29, at 1 o'clock, P. M. J. W. F. WHITE, 105 Fifth avenue.

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OFFICIAL.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
New City Hall, Smithfield street,
PITTSBURGH, Feb 1st, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all owners (whether resident or non-resident of the City of Pittsburgh,) of

Drays, Carts, Carriages, Buggies, &c.,
TO PAY THEIR LICENSES
At this Office Forthwith.

All Licenses not paid on or before the FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH, 1872, will be placed in the hands of a Police Officer for collection, subject to a collection fee of 50 cents; and all persons neglecting to pay on or before the FIRST MONDAY IN MAY, will be subject to a penalty double the amount of the Licenses, to be recovered before the Mayor, or any Alderman of said city.

The old Metal Plates of last year must be returned at the time Licenses are taken out, or 25 cents additional will be charged on each License.

RATES OF LICENSE.

Each one horse vehicle	$ 7 50
Each two horse vehicle	12.00
Each four horse vehicle	15 00
Each two horse hack	15.00
Omnibus and timber Wheels, drawn by two horses	18.00

One dollar extra will be charged for each additional horse used in any of the above specified vehicles.

C. L. MAGEE,
fe1:k60 City Treasurer.

OFFICE OF CLERKS OF COUNCILS,
ALLEGHENY, Feb. 9, 1872.

OPENING OF BUENA VISTA ST.—Parties interested are hereby notified that at a meeting of Councils, held February 8, 1872 the Report of the Viewers in the Opening of Buena Vista street was approved. Objections must be filed within ten days.

J. R. OXLEY,
fe14 Clerk of Select Council.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR,
PITTSBURGH, Feb. 23, 1872.

NOTICE.—The assessments for the Grading, Paving and Curbing of High street from Fifth avenue to Old avenue, are now ready for examination and will remain in this office ten (10) days, when they will be returned to the City Treasurer's office for collection.

H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.
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OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR,
PITTSBURGH, Feb. 15 1872.

NOTICE.—The Report of Viewers for the construction of Third avenue sewer, from Wood to Market street, has been approved by Councils, which action shall be final, unless an appeal is taken in the Court of Quarter Sessions within ten (10) days from date.

H. J. MOORE,
fe15 City Engineer.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR,
PITTSBURGH, Feb. 16, 1872.

OPENING OF SHADY LANE.—Notice is hereby given that the report of Viewers on the opening of Shady Lane, from Penn avenue to Fifth avenue, has been approved by Councils, and will be final unless an appeal is filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions, within ten days from date.

H. J. MOORE,
fe16 City Engineer.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR,
PITTSBURGH, Feb. 16th, 1872.

OPENING OF ELM STREET.—Notice is hereby given that the report of Viewers on the opening of Elm street, from Liberty avenue to Penn avenue, has been approved by Councils, and will be final unless an appeal is filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions within ten days from date.

H. J. MOORE,
fe16 City Engineer.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR,
PITTSBURGH, Feb. 16th, 1872.

OPENING OF PEARL STREET.—Notice is hereby given that the report of Viewers on the opening of Pearl street, from Liberty avenue to Penn avenue, has been approved by Councils, and will be final unless an appeal is filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions within ten days from date.

fe16 H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

COAL AND COKE.

ANTHRACITE
COAL,
$8,00 Per Ton of 2,000 Pounds.

Having secured a supply of the best quality of Wilkesbarre Coal before the advance in prices, I am now prepared to furnish the public with a superior article at a very low figure. Every load carefully screened before leaving yard. Many persons find it to their advantage by using this Coal in their Cooking Stoves and Ranges. All orders sent through mail or to me direct, will receive prompt attention.

JAS. M. BINGHAM,
367 Liberty Street,
no9:i34 PITTSBURGH

CHAS. H. ARMSTRONG,
DEALER IN
Youghiogheny and Connellsville Coal,
AND MANUFACTURER OF
COAL, SLACK AND DESULPHURIZED COKE.

OFFICE AND YARD, corner Butler and Morton streets, Liberty and Clymer streets, Ninth ward; also, Second street, Eighth ward, and at foot of Ross street, P. & C. R. R. Depot, second ward.

Orders left at either of the above offices, or addressed to me through Pittsburgh P. O., will receive prompt attention.

Refer to whom I am supplying: Hussey, Wells & Co., Wm. Smith, Union Iron Mills, S. S. Fowler & Co., Mitchell, Stevenson & Co., Bissell & Co., Graff & Hugus, Alex. Bradley, Park, Bro. & Co., Park, McCurdy & Co., Reese, Graff & Dull, Wm. M. Faber & Co., J. B. Lyon & Co., James Marshall & Co., Allen, McKee & Co., Union Depot Hotel, Connellsville R. R., Pennsylvania R. R., Allegheny Valley R. R.

LEGAL.

Orphans' Court Sale.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Allegheny county, Pa., I will expose to Public Sale, on the premises at Hoboken, in Indiana township, at 11 o'clock A. M., on

Thursday, March 7, 1872,

certain Lots of Ground in the sub-division of Lot Ground, of which Jacob Hetzell died, seized, adjoining the Workhouse property.

TERMS—One-half cash; balance in one year with interest, to be secured by bond and 30 day sci fa. mortgage on the premises. This property is near Hoboken Station, on the West Penn R. R.

fe12:k56-M SUSAN HARTZELL.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration on the estate of RICHARD HANNA, deceased, late of the Second ward, Allegheny city, having been granted to the undersigned; therefore all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

A. BAILIE, Administrator.
Allegheny City, Jan. 20, 1872. ja21:30M

NOTICE.—Letters of administration on the estate of Dr. THOMAS F. DALE, late of the City of Allegheny, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment without delay, and those having claims will present them, duly probated.

JOSEPHINE N. DALE,
ja24:147-MWF HENRY P. SCHWARTZ.

STONE.

WEST COMMON MACHINE STONE WORKS.

Northwest corner of West Common, Allegheny.
FREDERICK ATVATER & CO.,

Have on hand or prepare on short notice, Hearth and Step Stones, Flags for Sidewalks, Brewery Vaults, &c., Head and Tomb Stones, &c. Orders promptly filled on most reasonable terms.

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned, for the TAKING DOWN &c., of those TWO WAREHOUSES, known as Nos. 285 and 287 Liberty street.

ALEXANDER KING,
fe23:126 94 Water street.